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To W. Charles Sellick, Constable of the Town of Saugus,

GREETINGS:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Saugus, qualified to vote in Town Elections and Town Affairs, to meet at the several voting precincts of the Town on MONDAY, MARCH 4, A.D., Nineteen Hundred and Forty-six, at Twelve o'clock, M., then and there to bring in their ballots to the Wardens for the following Town Officers:

FOR ONE YEAR:

THREE SELECTMEN
THREE PLAYGROUND COMMISSIONERS
CONSTABLE
TREE WARDEN
TOWN MODERATOR
ONE TOWN MEETING MEMBER IN PRECINCT ONE
ONE TOWN MEETING MEMBER IN PRCINCT TWO
ONE TOWN MEETING MEMBER IN PRECINCT THREE
ONE TOWN MEETING MEMBER IN PRECINCT FOUR
TWO TOWN MEETING MEMBERS IN PRECINCT SIX
ONE TOWN MEETING MEMBER IN PRECINCT EIGHT

FOR TWO YEARS:

ONE TRUSTEE OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY
ONE TOWN MEETING MEMBER IN PRECINCT THREE

FOR THREE YEARS:

ONE MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE
ONE ASSESSOR
TWO MEMBERS OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE
ONE MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH
TWO TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY
ONE CEMETERY COMMISSIONER
TEN TOWN MEETING MEMBERS IN PRECINCT ONE
NINE TOWN MEETING MEMBERS IN PRECINCT TWO

TEN TOWN MEETING MEMBERS IN PRECINCT THREE
NINE TOWN MEETING MEMBERS IN PRECINCT FOUR
NINE TOWN MEETING MEMBERS IN PRECINCT FIVE
TEN TOWN MEETING MEMBERS IN PRECINCT SIX
NINE TOWN MEETING MEMBERS IN PRECINCT SEVEN
TWELVE TOWN MEETING MEMBERS IN PRECINCT EIGHT

FOR FIVE YEARS:

ONE MEMBER OF THE PLANNING BOARD.

Also your "Yes" or "No" on the following question:

"Shall an act passed by the general court in the year nineteen hundred and forty-five, entitled 'An Act relative to equal pay for men and women teachers', be in force in this town?"

YES	
NO	

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Saugus qualified to vote in Town Affairs to assemble in the Town Hall on WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13, A.D., Nineteen Hundred and Forty-six, at Eight o'clock P.M., to hear and act on the following articles, viz:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1946, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less then one year in accordance with section 17 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, and any amendments thereto, agreeable to the petition of the Town Treasurer.

Art. 2. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 49 of the Acts of 1933, and any amendments thereto, for the purpose of providing funds to meet ordinary maintenance expenses and revenue loans, such

borrowing in no event to exceed the amount of the tax titles held in excess of the amount owing to the Commonwealth for similar loans previously made, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Town Treasurer.

Art. 3. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 635 of the Acts of 1945, permitting the payment of vacation pay to employees in advance, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Town Accountant.

Art. 4. To see if the Town will vote to accept a deed of a drainage easement from the Cliftondale Church of the Nazarene, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the School Committee.

Art. 5. To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 1 of Chapter 1 of the Building Ordinances by inserting the following sentence after the first sentence in said section:

> "The insulation of a structure or building otherwise than at the time of and as a part of its original construction shall be deemed an alteration within the meaning of this section."

or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Finance Committee.

Art. 6. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following rule further regulating the use of its sewer system:

> "The annual rental charge for use of the sewer system by property owners entering the same, whether their water service be metered or unmetered, shall be fixed at five dollars per tenant."

or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Sewer Commissioners.

Art. 7. To see if the Town will vote to accept Basswood Avenue from Wamesit Avenue to No. 103 Basswood Avenue in accordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 8. To see if the Town will vote to accept Charlotte Road in accordance with the plan and profile on file with the

Town Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 9. To see if the Town will vote to accept Glen Park Avenue in accordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 10. To see if the Town will vote to accept Holland Street in acordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 11. To see if the Town will vote to accept Old County Road for a distance of 600 feet in accordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 12. To see if the Town will vote to accept Pelham Street in accordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 13. To see if the Town will vote to accept Spencer Avenue in accordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 14. To see if the Town will vote to accept Trull Circle in accordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 15. To see if the Town will vote to accept Walden Avenue in accordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 16. To see if the Town will vote to accept Walden Terrace in accordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 17. To see if the Town will vote to accept Walden Pond Avenue in accordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 18. To see if the Town will vote to accept Warren Street in acordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 19. To see if the Town will vote to accept Wonderland Avenue in accordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 20. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of $980.92 from the Overlay Surplus account to the following Overlay accounts:

1932	$ 9.75	1938	$21.45
1934	13.48	1939	28.70
1935	249.88	1940	14.81
1936	233.68	1941	19.48
1937	184.51	1942	10.60
1944	$194.58		

Art. 21. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of $882.01 for the payment of 1945 unpaid Trade School Tuition bills, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Town Accountant.

Art. 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $850.00 for the purpose of maintaining during the ensuing year the mosquito control work as estimated and certified to by the State Reclamation Board in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 11, Acts of 1931, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 23. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $650.00 to be expended under the direction of the Town Treasurer to investigate and to determine the validity of tax titles held by the Town, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Town Treasurer.

Art. 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $3000.00 for the payment of all expenses in connection with the foreclosure of tax titles held by the Town, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Town Treasurer.

Art. 25. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $300.00 to provide heat and light for the American Legion Building for the year 1946, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Burton L. Lyons and others.

Art. 26. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 to be used for rental purposes for Major Douglas R. Gordon Post No. 2346, V. F. W., or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of John S. Clanton and others.

Art. 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,250.00 for the purpose of purchasing a new automobile to be used by the Health Department, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Health.

Art. 28. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $7,500.00 for repairs to the Town Hall, including the present heating system, and to make alterations to the interior of the building in keeping with the requests of the State Inspector of the Department of Public Safety, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 29. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $3,000.00 for the construction of a fireproof vault in the basement of the Town Hall for the storage of the master plans of the Engineering Department and vital plans and records of other Town Departments, said vault to be constructed in accordance with the prescribed rules and regulations of the Massachusetts Department of Documents and Records and said appropriation to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 30. To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Town Charges for the year 1946.

Art. 31. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,400.00 for the purpose of making necessary repairs to the Town Infirmary buildings, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Public Welfare.

Art. 32. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 for the purpose of providing materials and labor on a 50/50 basis for the construction of sidewalks throughout the Town, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 33. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 to reconvert the boiler in the Central Junior High School Building from stoker-coal burning to the original oil burner installation and to install the stoker thus removed in the cast iron boiler in the High School Building, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the School Committee.

Art. 34. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $7,500.00 to install a new heating system in the Roby School, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the School Committee.

Art. 35. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a committee to prepare plans and specifications for a Memorial Building to the Veterans of World War II, said committee to be appointed by the Moderator, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of John S. Clanton and others.

Art. 36. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $2,000.00 for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of Article 35, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of John S. Clanton and others.

Art. 37. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 to be expended in accordance with the pro-

visions of Chapter I of the Acts of 1946, to properly celebrate the return of men and women who served in or were affiliated or associated with the Armed Forces of the United States in World War II, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 38. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 723 of the Acts of 1945 authorizing the establishment and maintenance of a municipal department for furnishing information, advice and assistance to veterans, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 39. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $1,200.00 for expenses incidental to the operation of a Veterans' Service Center in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 723, Acts of 1945, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 40. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $500.00 for the pointing of, drainage of, and protection of the cemetery wall on Winter Street beginning at a point adjacent to the foot entrance and extending easterly to the land now or formerly of Dahlen a distance of 800 feet, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Cemetery Commissioners.

Art. 41. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $6,800.00 for the filling and grading of the Montgomery property, so-called, beginning at the westerly line of the present cemetery and extending westerly 240 feet and running northerly from Winter Street to the line of Shutes Brook, to provide additional burial space, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Cemetery Commissioners.

Art. 42. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $6,000.00 in order to continue and complete the work already started on the new Veterans lot at Riverside Cemetery, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Cemetery Commissioners.

Art. 43. To see if the Town will vote to rescind the action taken at the 1945 Annual Town Meeting under Article 49 of the Warrant therefor, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 44. To see if the Town will vote to rescind the action taken at the 1945 Annual Town Meeting under Article 41 of the Warrant therefor, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 45. To see if the Town will vote to authorize and instruct the Board of Selectmen to enter into a contract for a term of years with the City of Lynn for a supply of water to the Town of Saugus at a price not to exceed $53.33 per million gallons, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 46. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purposes of constructing a standpipe and laying the necessary water mains in the North Saugus section of the Town, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 47. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 for land damages resulting from land takings on Woodbury Avenue and Hesper Street, said land takings to be in conjunction with the Chapter 90 work for the improvement of Woodbury Avenue and Hesper Street, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 48. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 for the continuation of the reconstruction of Woodbury Avenue and Hesper Street, said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 49. To see if the Town will vote to accept Sweetwater Street in accordance with plans and profile on file with the Town

Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 50. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,000.00 for the improvement of Sweetwater Street, said money to be used in conjunction with equal amounts of money as may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Elsie Crockford and others.

Art. 51. To see if the Town will vote to purchase or to take by right of eminent domain, for highway purposes, Lots 18, 19, 20 and 21 on Assessors' Plan 1053, said lots being on the easterly side of Golden Hills Road, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Elsie Crockford and others.

Art. 52. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for carrying out the provisions of Article 51, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Elsie Crockford and others.

Art. 53. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,333.33 for the purpose of starting Chapter 90 road work on Golden Hills Road for a distance of one thousand feet, more or less, said sum to be matched by the State or County, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 54. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,000.00 for the purposes of surfacing Guild Road according and agreeable to the petition of Alex Ulban and others, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter.

Art. 55. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,500.00 for the purpose of constructing a street surface drainage system on Centennial Avenue, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 56. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $9,125.00 for the purposes of constructing a street surface drainage system on Lincoln Avenue beginning at

Atlantic Avenue and connecting with the present system located at the junction of Lincoln Avenue and Guild Road, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 57. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $10,000.00 for the purpose of installing a proper street surface drainage system on Denver Street, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of James E. Stevens, Jr., and others.

Art. 58. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,000.00 for the purpose of constructing and laying a street surface drainage system on Connolly Avenue and Nason Road, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Earle Dumas and others.

Art. 59. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $2,700.00 for the purpose of constructing a street surface drainage system on Hayden Road, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 60. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $10,000.00 for the purpose of having the Saugus River dredged from Fox Hill Bridge in a northerly direction for 1800 feet to provide a width of 110 feet and a depth of 8 feet at mean low tide, said sum to be expended with a like sum to be provided by the City of Lynn and with $20,000.00 to be provided by the State, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of George A. Gulliford and others.

Art. 61. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to publish in book or pamphlet form the new real estate property valuations prepared by the Clemenshaw Co. for free distribution to the citizens, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Edward Gibbs, Jr., and others.

Art. 62. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $2,500.00 for water extension on Golden Hills Road and

Jamaica Avenue for a distance of 475 feet, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Mildred Perry and others.

Art. 63. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $800.00 for the purpose of laying 250 feet of water mains on Hawkes Street, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of George B. Dixon and others.

Art. 64. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for water extension on Robins Road, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Pearl L. Blacknall and others.

Art. 65. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 for the purpose of providing a stabilization fund in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 124 of the Acts of 1945, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 66. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning for business purposes the property owned by Giles S. and Janie B. Bryer located at 432 and 434 Central Street, and adjacent to land owned by Cronin, Nelson and others, now zoned as general residence, and described as follows: beginning at a point on Central Street, thence running southerly for a distance of 196 feet; thence turning and running Easterly 135 feet; thence turning and running Northerly 214 feet; thence running Westerly 135 feet; the same being a part of lot 168 and 151 as shown on the Assessors Plan 2023, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Giles S. Bryer and others.

Art. 67. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning for business purposes the entire block of properties situated on the easterly side of Lincoln Avenue between Western Avenue and Fairview Avenue, now zoned for residential purposes, and described as follows: Beginning at the Northwesterly corner of Western Avenue and Lincoln Avenue the line runs Southerly along Lincoln Avenue

278.42 feet to Fairview Avenue; thence Easterly by Fairview Avenue 100 feet; thence Northerly 163 feet, more or less; thence Westerly 25 feet, more or less; thence Northerly 83 feet to Western Avenue; thence Westerly by Western Avenue 102.96 feet to the point of beginning, the same being the whole of lots A-74, A-93, A-75, A-76 and A-77 as shown on the Assessors' Plan 2008; or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Henry A. Comack and others.

Art. 68. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning for business purposes the property owned by Henry C. and Hazel Seaver located on Winter Street near Stocker Street and adjacent to land owned by the Town of Saugus, now zoned as single residence, and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Northerly line of Winter Street, said point being 74.99 feet Westerly from Stocker Street; thence the line runs Westerly along Winter Street 230.26 feet; thence the line turns and runs Northerly along the land of the Town of Saugus 100 feet; thence the line turns and runs Easterly along land of the Town of Saugus a distance of 200.20 feet; thence the line turns and runs Southerly a distance of 110.93 feet, to point of beginning, the same being the whole of lots A-58 and A-59 as shown on Assessors' Plan 3010, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Henry C. Seaver and others.

Art. 69. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning for business purposes the property owned by Joseph and Teresa Bregante located at 763 Broadway and adjacent to land owned by Riley and Stanley, now zoned as single residence, and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Westerly side of Broadway, said point being 20 feet South from a stone bound which is the P.C. of a curve with a radius of 940.91 feet; thence the line runs North along said Broadway a distance of 93 feet to the property line of Riley; thence turning and running Westerly along said property line a distance of 100 feet; thence turning and running Southerly 93 feet; thence turning and running Easterly 100 feet to point of beginning; the same being a part of Lot A-21 as shown on the Assessors Plan 2030, or to see what action the Town will take

in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Bernard M. Riley, John W. Whitehouse and others.

Art. 70. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning for industrial purposes the property owned by the Trimount Bituminous Products Co. located at 821 Broadway, now zoned for single residence and business purposes, same now being non-conforming use, and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Westerly side of Broadway, said point being the stone bound marking the Town and County line between Saugus and Melrose; thence the line runs Northerly along said Broadway 595.95 feet; thence turning and running Westerly a distance of 507.15 feet; thence turning and running Easterly a distance of 219.60 feet; thence turning and running Northerly a distance of 1062.17 feet; thence turning and running Westerly by a stone wall a distance of 441.05 feet; thence turning and running Southerly a distance of 904.72 feet; thence turning and running Westerly a distance of 239.50 feet; thence turning and running Northerly a distance of 68.62 feet; thence turning and running Westerly a distance of 50.70 feet; thence turning and running Southerly by said Town and County line a distance of 1455.18 feet to the point of beginning; containing 26.97 acres, the same being the whole of lot A as shown on Assessors' Plan 2030, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of M. Edward Hayes and others.

Art. 71. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning for industrial purposes the property owned by Michael DeStefano located at Broadway and adjacent to the land owned by Gerondelis, now zoned as single residence and business, and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Easterly side of Broadway, said point being the property line of Louis and Charles Gerondelis and Michael DeStefano; thence the line runs Easterly a distance of 555 feet to Prankers Pond; thence the line turns and runs Southerly by the shore of said pond about 1800 feet; thence the line turns and runs Westerly by several courses to Broadway a distance of 1000 feet; thence the line runs Northeasterly by said Broadway about 565

feet to point of beginning; the same being the whole of Lot A-3 as shown on the Assessors' Plan 1048, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Delmont Goding and others.

Art. 72. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning for business purposes the property owned by Mary J. Adrian and Leo H. LeBlanc located at Broadway and Spring Street and adjacent to land owned by Sarah Porter and LeBlanc and R. G. Pike (formerly), now zoned as single residence, and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Westerly line of Broadway, said point being at the intersection of the Northerly line of Spring Street so-called; thence the line runs Northwesterly along Spring Street a distance of 66.30 feet; thence the line runs Northeasterly a distance 180.13 feet; thence the line runs Northwesterly a distance of 67 feet; thence the line runs Northeasterly a distance 86.80 feet; thence the line runs Southeasterly a distance of 75.85 feet; thence the line runs Southwesterly along Broadway a distance of 279.41 feet to point of beginning; the same being the whole of lot A-24 as shown on the Assessors' Plan 1039, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Leo H. LeBlanc and others.

Art. 73. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map so that land shown on Assessors' Plan 3027 as Lots A-31 and A-32 shall be zoned for business, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Lawrence L. Couturier and others.

Art. 74. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning for business purposes the property owned by Lewis W. Austin located on Broadway (north of Main) and adjacent to land owned by Lewis W. Austin, now zoned as single residence, and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Easterly line of Broadway at a monument marking the P.C. of a curve with a radius of 2740 feet on the State layout of 1936; thence the line runs along said Broadway a distance of 694.92 feet; thence turning and running Easterly 550.63

feet; thence turning and running Southerly a distance of 668.08 feet; thence turning and running Westerly by several courses 469.26 feet to point of beginning, and containing about 7.50 acres; the same being the whole of lots A-32 and A-37 as shown on the Assessors' Plan 1028 and 1029, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Edward W. Flood and others.

Art. 75. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map so that the property shown as Lot A-16 on Assessors' Plan 1029 may be zoned for business, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Delmont E. Goding and others.

Art. 76. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning for business purposes the property owned by Maria Mazzariell located on Lincoln Avenue and adjacent to the land owned by Carter, now zoned as single residence, and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Easterly side of Lincoln Avenue, said point being 130.05 feet South from the intersection of Lincoln Court; thence the line runs Easterly a distance of 115 feet to the property of Carter; thence the line turns and runs Westerly by said property line 113.50 feet to Lincoln Avenue; thence the line runs Northerly by Lincoln Avenue a distance of 34.30 feet to the point of beginning; the same being the whole of lot A-59 on Assessors' Plan 2008, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of T. A. Phillips and others.

Art. 77. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning for business purposes the property owned by the Uno Ventilator Company located at 565 Lincoln Avenue and shown as Lot A-122 on Assessors' Plan 2001, now zoned as single residence (now non-conforming) and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Westerly side of Lincoln Avenue, said point being 155 feet South from the intersection of the Southerly line of Linwood Street and said Lincoln Avenue; thence the line runs Northwesterly a distance of 130 feet; thence the line turns and runs Southwesterly a distance of 37.50 feet; thence the line turns and runs Southeasterly a

distance of 130 feet to Lincoln Avenue; thence the line runs by said Lincoln Avenue 37.50 feet to the point of beginning; or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Archibald M. Sweezey and others.

Art. 78. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning for business purposes the property owned by Phillip and Julia Carbone located at and adjacent to land owned by Mabel I. Beauregard, now zoned as single residence and business, and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Easterly side of Broadway, said point being the property line of Mabel I. Beauregard and Phillip and Julia Carbone; thence the line runs Easterly 165 feet; thence the line turns and runs Northerly about 370 feet to Walden Avenue; thence the line runs by said Avenue 49.5 feet; thence the line turns and runs Southeasterly 720 feet; thence the line turns and runs Southwesterly about 340 feet; thence the line runs Northerly along Broadway 170 feet to the point of beginning; the same being a part of Lot A-144 as shown on the Assessors' Plan 1041, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of George A. Eaton and others.

Art. 79. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning for business purposes the property owned by Joseph Ward and Grace Ward located at 15 and 15½ East Denver Street and adjacent to land owned by J. W. Currier, now zoned as general residence, and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Southerly side of East Denver Street, said point being 325.20 feet Westerly from the intersection of Orcutt Avenue, thence Northly by East Denver Street 50 feet; thence Easterly 100 feet; thence Southerly 50 feet; thence Westerly 87 feet to the point of beginning; the same being the whole of Lot A-5 as shown on Assessors' Plan 1016, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Joseph and Grace Ward and others.

Art 80. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning for business purposes the property owned by Louis A. and Caroline E. Ciampa located at 38 Bristow Street and adjacent to land owned by the Town of Saugus, now zoned as single residence, and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the Westerly side of Bristow Street, thence the line runs Westerly a distance of 100 feet to land of Cogliano; thence turning and running Northerly a distance of 200 feet to land of the Town of Saugus; thence turning and running Easterly 100 feet to Bristow Street; thence turning and running Southerly by said Bristow Street, 200 feet to the point of beginning; the same being the whole of Lots A-245, A-247 and A-186 as shown on Assessors' Plan 3015, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Louis and Caroline Ciampa and others.

Art. 81. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning for business purposes Lot A-9 on Assessors' Plan 2035, Lot A-59; -6-7-8-9-17-18-19-20 as shown on Assessors' Plan 3022, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of James Nicolo and others.

The polls will open at 12 o'clock, noon, and will close at 8 o'clock P.M., and you are hereby directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the usual places seven days, at least, before the time of holding said meeting, and to distribute copies as provided by the By-Laws at least four days before.

Hereof, fail not, and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands and Town Seal this Eleventh day of February, A.D., Nineteen Hundred and Forty-six.

C. CARROLL CUNNINGHAM,
GEORGE H. QUARMBY,
HAROLD P. RICE,
Board of Selectmen.

A true copy,
Attest: .....
Constable.

Town of Saugus

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

TOWN DOCUMENTS

One Hundred and Thirty-first

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OF SAUGUS, MASS.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER 31, 1946

JACKSON & PHILLIPS, INC.
47 Mulberry St. and 545 Washington St.
Lynn, Mass.
1947

Elected Town Officers, 1946

Town Clerk

VIOLA G. WILSON ..... Term expires March, 1948

Selectmen

C. CARROLL CUNNINGHAM ..... Term expires March, 1947
WILLIAM S. OLIVER ..... " " " 1947
WILLIAM H. ROBINSON ..... " " " 1947

Assessors

GEORGE H. MASON ..... Term expires March, 1948
ALBION RAMSDELL RICE ..... " " " 1947
FRANK EVANS, JR. ..... " " " 1949

Board of Public Welfare

GUSTAVE A. ANDERSON, Chairman ..... Term expires March, 1949
ERNEST M. HATCH, Secretary ..... " " " 1947
HARRY WENTWORTH ..... " " " 1948

Teasurer

HAROLD E. DODGE ..... Term expires March, 1948

Collector of Taxes

VIOLA G. WILSON ..... Term expires March, 1948

Trustees of Public Library

ALBERT R. MAGEE, Chairman ..... Term expires March, 1949
CHAUNCEY V. WHITTREDGE ..... " " " 1947
KALER A. PERKINS ..... " " " 1947
WALTER D. BLOSSOM ..... " " " 1948
ELMER H. WATSON ..... " " " 1949
WILLIAM IRBY, Secretary ..... " " ' 1948

Board of Health

JAMES A. CLARK, Chairman ..... Term expires March, 1947
RICHARDJ. SPENCER (Deceased) ..... " " " 1948
LEROY C. FURBUSH ..... " " " 1949
ARTHUR PRICE (to fill vacancy) ..... " " " 1947

School Committee

WILLIAM STEWART BRAID ..... Term expires March, 1948
GEORGE A. McCARRIER ..... " " " 1947
JOHN L. SILVER ..... " " " 1948
JAMES W. CURRIER ..... " " " 1949
DAVID J. LUCEY (resigned) ..... " " " 1949

Cemetery Commissioners

WILLIAM S. ROCKHILL	Term	expires	March,	1948
BENJAMIN F. FULLERTON	"	"	"	1949
PAUL J. HAYES	"	"	"	1947

Tree Warden

GEORGE L. PEARCE	Term	expires	March,	1947

Planning Board

WILLIAM H. ROBINSON (resigned)	Term	expires	March,	1950
JACK A. MEEKER, Clerk	"	"	"	1947
H. WARREN BUTLER	"	"	"	1949
FRANK A. GREEN	"	"	"	1946
WALTER L. ROY	"	"	"	1948
JAMES O. SMITH (resigned)	"	"	"	1949
EDWARD BERRETT				
GEORGE SMITH				

Moderator

LAURENCE F. DAVIS	Term	expires	March,	1947

Constable

W. CHARLES SELLICK	Term	expires	March,	1947

Playground Commissioners

PAUL CORSON, Secretary	Term	expires	March,	1947
WALTER GAUTREAU	"	"	"	1947
EDWIN M. HOLMES, Chairman	"	"	"	1947

Town Meeting Members

PRECINCT ONE

Name	Address	Term Expires
Howard W. Bassett	34 Taylor St.	1949
Walter D. Blossom	11 Vine St.	"
L. Elmer Day	17 Emory St.	"
Stanley W. Day	9 Emory St.	"
Ferdinan L. Fiske, Jr.	7 Parker St.	"
Harold W. Humphrey	111 Main St.	"
Thomas D. Morse	12 Columbus Ave.	"
Frank B. Newhall	74 Main St.	"
John L. Silver	35 Main St.	"
Elmer H. Watson	32 Prospect St.	"
Harry H. Calderwood	20 Prospect St.	1948
Archie C. Cheever	27 Taylor St.	"
Charles C. DeFronzo	327 Central St.	"
George H. Durgin	41 Main St.	"
Elmer R. Emmett	65 Summer St.	"
Henry A. McCullough	280 Central St.	"
Welcome W. McCullough	280 Central St.	"
Henry L. McIntyre	15 Appleton St.	"
Henry A. B. Peckham	329 Central St.	"
W. Charles Sellick	43 Main St.	"
Clyde E. Allen	218 Central St.	1947
Pearl N. Belonga	5 Emory Ct.	"
Frank E. Berthold	392 Main St.	"
Albert C. Day	17 Emory St.	"
Lewis O. Gray	91 Main St.	"
Gordon C. Marr	19 Highland Ave.	"
Ellery E. Metcalf	51 Howard St.	"
Frederick L. Sawyer	7 Austin St.	"
Harry F. Wentworth	11 Emory St.	"
Bertrand Westendarp	36 Pleasant St.	"

PRECINCT TWO

Name	Address	Term Expires
Kenneth J. Barnes	20 Park St.	1949
James T. Como	7 Palmer Ave.	"
Albert J. Moylan	397 Lincoln Ave.	"
John J. Sandilands	5 Castle St.	"
Arthur Franklin Spinney	21 Basswood St.	"
Leon C. Young	16 Smith Rd.	"
Alexander S. McCarrier	33 Mountain Ave.	"
Bartholomew L. Creedon	15 Smith Rd.	"
Harold W. Anderson	15 Smith Rd.	"
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H. Warren Butler	17 Jackson St.	"
Arthur Dearing	78 Clifton Ave.	"
Leroy C. Furbush	420 Lincoln Ave.	"
Walter I. Hanson	83 Clifton Ave.	"
Charles M. O'Connor, 1st	14 Ernest St.	"
George W. Reiniger	9 Lincoln Ct.	"

Joseph P. Rossetti	62 Western Ave.	"
Harold I. Wilkinson	10 Castle St.	"
Jesse H. Brown	8 Ernest St.	1947
Earle N. Dudman	580 Lincoln Ave.	"
Daniel Flynn	8 Smith Rd.	"
Arthur E. Jackson	15 Wamesit Ave.	"
Helen L. Meader	31 Aberdeen Ave.	"
		"
Russell R. Peterson	10 Overlook Ter.	"
Thomas F. Quinlan	103 Basswood Ave.	"
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PRECINCT THREE

Name	Address	Term Expires
Gordon H. Baker	r22 Milton St.	1949
Hubert B. Connolly	12 Winter St.	"
Frank J. Drewniany	1 Wakefield Ave.	"
Floyd Flower	12 Grandview Ave.	"
Alonzo D. Ireson, Jr.	11 Johnson St.	"
Cornelius J. McHugh	5 Hillcrest St.	"
Ernest G. Mitchell	75 Lincoln Ave.	"
Frank L. Perry	11 Richard St.	"
George W. Pitman	14 Hillcrest St.	"
John E. Wood	54 Ballard St.	"
George M. Connell	19 Johnson St.	1948
Vernon W. Evans	94 Chestnut St.	"
Frank A. Green	20 Richard St.	"
Milton E. French	16 Winter St.	"
Paul F. Neal	10 Richard St.	"
Mae G. Priest	19 Stocker St.	"
Samuel E. Rice	8 Ella St.	"
George E. Robinson	61 Ballard St.	"
Harold R. Searles	15 Springdale Ave.	"
Henry Seaver	45 Springdale Ave.	"
Arthur R. Armstrong	1 Springdale Ave.	1947
Nels A. Bloom	59 Lincoln Ave.	"
Mildred H. French	16 Winter St.	"
Anthony Grella	104 Lincoln Ave.	"
Frederick J. C. Price, Jr.	8 Alder St.	"
George F. Price	157 Hesper St.	"
Florence White	7 Lawndale Ave.	"
Maurice Woolf	114 Lincoln Ave.	"
Warren D. Lewis	73 Lincoln Ave.	"

PRECINCT FOUR

Name	Address	Term Expires
Milton W. Chambers	12 Anawan Ave.	1949
Wilmer H. Churchill	32 Highland Ave.	"
William Irby	30 Highland Ave.	"
Anna V. Jacobs	20 Felton St.	"
John B. Leahy	152 Essex St.	"
Walter F. Neal	8 Hood St.	"
Roy L. Smith	19 Hoos St.	"
Mabel C. Willey	45 Vine St.	"
Virginia E. Woodward	96 Adams Ave.	"

Gustave A. Anderson	9 Norman Rd.	1948
Edward Gibbs, Jr.	85 Vine St.	"
Charles C. Holt	19 Anawan Ave.	"
Harry B. Lancaster	9 Tuttle St.	"
Horace C. Ramsdell	6 Bayfield Rd.	"
Harold P. Rice	155 Essex St.	"
Waldo B. Russell	6 Anawan Ave.	"
James O. Smith	177 Essex St.	"
Joseph A. White	5 Hayden Rd.	"
Mary F. Banks	40 Vine St.	1947
William C. Banks	40 Vine St.	"
Newell C. Bartlett	9 Anawan Ave.	"
Paul Corson	118 Vine St.	"
Margaret J. Daniels	211 Essex St.	"
John E. Marston	178 Essex St.	"
Roger C. Rice	86 Adams Ave.	"
John A. Taylor	21 Anawan Ave.	"
Alfred H. Woodward	96 Adams Ave.	"

PRECINCT FIVE

Name	Address	Term Expires
F. Dudley Bacon	160 Walnut St.	1949
Joseph Bucherie	21 Old County Rd.	"
Frank H. Chickering	56 Central St.	"
R. Alfred Delfuge	85 Hobson St.	"
Charles W. Donovan	217 Walnut St.	"
Hollis E. Hogle, Jr.	59 Water St.	"
Edwin M. Thompson	16 Lenox Ave.	"
Nathan H. Mallar	7 Blueridge Ave.	"
Robert G. Ballard	22 Blueridge Ave.	"
Roswell W. Abbott	29 Walden Pond Ave.	1948
Francis W. Comey	27 Walden Pond Ave.	"
George B. Dixon	52 Walnut St.	"
E. Florence Evans	14 Walden Ave.	"
Clement C. Fearns	8 Bow St.	"
Chester P. Gibson	9 Birchwood St.	"
Arthur L. Hawkes	133 Walnut St.	"
Howard W. Morse	479 Walnut St.	"
A. Willard Moses	139 Walnut St.	"
Walter F. Devitt	46 Walnut St.	1947
Richard Downes	9 Resevoir Ave.	"
Stanley B. Harmon	11 Cleveland Ave.	"
Herbert C. Heylmun	1 Broadway	"
		"
Louis H. Kelly	91 Walnut St.	"
Richard Merrill	109 Water St.	"
Otto F. Persson	37 Cleveland Ave.	"
Thomas M. Robinson	23 Water St.	"

PRECINCT SIX

Name	Address	Term Expires
Philip R. Albee	25 Dustin St.	1949
James W. Currier	36 Stone St.	"
Robert C. Davis	14 Nason Rd.	"
Harold P. Hutchins	14 Birch St.	"
Charles S. James	21 Overlea Ave.	"
David J. Lucey	8 Intervale Ave.	"

Fred W. McKay	5 Sunnyside Pk.	"
Edward J. O'Neil	34½ Birch St.	"
Ralph H. Sweetser	23 Sunnyside Ave.	"
John H. Worthley	34 Birch St.	"
Washington L. Bryer	370 Lincoln Ave.	1948
John J. Bucchiere	254 Lincoln Ave.	"
Agnes B. Dodge	18 Birch St.	"
Frank Evans, Jr.	305 Lincoln Ave.	"
Paul J. Hayes	16 Birch St.	"
W. Ernest Light	9 Sunnyside Ave.	"
Albion R. Rice	347 Lincoln Ave.	"
Frank C. Rice	352 Lincoln Ave.	"
William H. Robinson	46 Intervale Ave.	"
Howard E. Shattuck	7 Birch St.	"
Carl E. Chapman	17 Dreeme St.	1947
William A. Diamond	363 Lincoln Ave.	"
Phyllis E. Dodge	18 Birch St.	"
Edward M. Down	23 Birch St.	"
George N. McKay	17 Sunnyside Pk.	"
Edward J. Oljey	27 Birch St.	"
N. Jessie O'Neil	36 Birch St.	"
Frank L. Platt	333 Lincoln St.	"
Richard J. Spencer	492 Central St.	"
Benjamin A. Ramsdell	25 Madeira St.	"

PRECINCT SEVEN

Name	Address	Term Expires
Hazel K. Addison	8 Granite Rd.	1949
Earle W. Cousens	28 Mt. Vernon St.	"
Dorothy Shorey Estabrook	90 School St.	"
Delmont E. Goding	581 Lincoln Ave.	"
M. Edward Hayes	30 Myrtle St.	"
Albion L. Hogan	10 Danforth Ave.	"
Harriett A. McAdoo	6 Johnston Ter.	"
Chester S. Nickerson	12 Myrtle St.	"
Gilbert Wheeler	19 Whitney St.	"
Alexander S. Addison	8 Granite Rd.	1948
William Stewart Braid	6 Allison Rd.	"
Napoleon B. Corthell	7 Raddin Ter.	"
Frederick J. England	22 Linwood St.	"
Ernest M. Hatch	47 Mt. Vernon St.	"
Clarence S. Kenerson	12 Clifton St.	"
George H. Mason	11 Myrtle St.	"
Charles B. McDuffee	36 Essex St.	"
Laurence E. Richardson	46 Mt. Vernon St.	"
Wallace C. Campbell	599 Lincoln Ave.	1947
Raymond P. Clark	3 Granite Rd.	"
Nathaniel Diamond	23 Granite Rd.	"
May V. Gaylor	26 Mountain Ave.	"
Samuel E. Gillespie	4 Myrtle St.	"
Howard C. Heath	18 Johnston Ter.	"
John A. W. Pearce	5 Myrtle St.	"
Lewis P. Sanborn	14 Myrtle St.	"
Harry A. White	11 Whitney St.	"

PRECINCT EIGHT

Name	Address	Term Expires
John W. Allan	5 Montgomery St.	1949
A. Randall Bishop	50 Westland Ave.	"
Harold W. Crozier	60 Springdale Ave.	"
Henry P. Lewis	45 Waban St.	"
John Lewis Martin	2 Pinecrest Ave.	"
Dean W. Means	11 Kenwood Ave.	"
Oscar O. Nygaard	36 Jasper St.	"
Ruth P. Sheldon	51 TontaquonAve.	"
Warren O. Sheldon	51 TontaquonAve.	"
Harold A. Smiledge	14 Marden St.	"
Benjamin Vatcher	35 Westland Ave.	"
George O. Walker	35 Winter St.	"
James Blair	21 Johnson Rd.	1948
Giles S. Bryer	434 Central St.	"
Herman G. Bunker	1 Vermont Ave.	"
Gustaf E. Dahlen	1 Kenwood Ave.	"
Susie A. Dahlen	1 Kenwood Ave.	"
Laurence F. Davis	13 Pearson St.	"
Arthur E. Gustafson	38 Orcutt Ave.	"
David W. Hanson	19 Clinton Ave.	"
Charles H. Popp	5 Denver St.	"
Arthur W. Price	390 Central St.	"
Ralph Quirk	35 Pearson St.	"
Frederick Bancroft Willis	6 Springdale Ave.	"
Howard F. Berrett	20 Jasper St.	"
Nellie G. Blair	21 Johnson Rd.	"
Ann L. Brown	12 Marden St.	"
Frank O. Gatchell	9 Denver St.	"
Arthur P. Hennessy	26 Jasper St.	"
Melbourne MacLeod	32 Westland Ave.	"
Joseph Oljey	47 Westford St.	"
Henry D. Orpin	24 Denver St.	"
Alfred W. Powers	18 Pinecrest Ave.	"
Ernest B. Swett	18 Robinson St.	"
Donald M. Walker	50 Springdale Ave.	"

EX-OFFICIIS TOWN MEETING MEMBERS

Viola G. Wilson, 13 Linwood St., Town Clerk and Tax Collector
Harold E. Dodge, 18 Birch St., Treasurer
C. Carroll Cunningham, 376 Lincoln Ave., Selectman
William S. Oliver, 9 Fiske Rd., Selectman
Edwin M. Holmes, 33 Jackson St., Chairman, Playground
Jack A. Meeker, 26 Summer St., Chairman, Planning Board
William S. Rockhill, 26 Pleasant St., Chairman, Cemetery Co.
James A. Clark, 545 Lincoln Ave., Chairman, Board of Health
George McCarrier, 31 Prospect St., School Committee
*Frederick Bancroft Willis, 6 Springdale Ave., Representative in General Court; Chairman, Library Trustee

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*Appears also in Precinct Eight

Appointed Town Officials, 1946

Town Accountant
RALPH QUIRK (Deceased)
CARL A. CHAPMAN (Acting)

Town Counsel
ALBION L. HOGAN

Assistant Town Clerk
RUTH E. STEVENS

Town Clerk and Tax Collector's Office
RUTH E. STEVENS M. GRACE O'NEIL FRANCES P. PRICE

Director of State Aid and Soldiers' Relief
NEWELL V. BARTLETT

Dog Office
JOHN T. STUART

Forest Warden
GEORGE B. DREW

Keeper of the Locker
JOHN T. STUART

Matron of the Locker
MABEL D. MURDOCK

Superintendent of Public Works
CARL CHAPMAN, Acting
CHARLES DeFRONZO, Acting

Superintendent of Schools
VERNON C. EVANS

Superintendent of Cemeteries
GORDON C. MARR

Sealer of Weights and Measures
ALFRED H. WOODWARD

Deputy Tax Collectors
RUTH E. STEVENS JOSEPH LOVELL

Finance Committee

ARTHUR GUSTAFSON
FRANK B. NEWHALL
ARTHUR DEARING
GEORGE M. CONNELL
JOSEPH A. WHITE
CLEMENT C. FEARNS
LAURENCE E. RICHARDSON
JOHN BUCCHIERE, Chairman

Board of Registrars

VINCENT G. PENDLETON, Chairman
VIOLA G. WILSON, Clerk
JOHN B. LEAHY
HENRY A. COMACK (Deceased)

Board of Appeals

PAUL A. HALEY, Chairman
C. CARROLL CUNNINGHAM
JOSEPH G. FISHER

Associate Members

PAUL NEAL, Clerk
HARRY MERRILL
LEWIS O. GRAY
JOHN L. SILVER

Fire Engineers

C. CARROLL CUNNINGHAM
HAROLD P. RICE
GEORGE H. QUARMBY

Civil Constable

BARNET SHAPIRO

Contributory Retirement Committee

WILLIAM ROBINSON, Secretary
DELMONT E. GODING

Public Health Nurse

N. JESSIE O'NEIL

Cattle and Milk Inspector

JOHN V. SPENCER

Inspector of Slaughter

JOHN V. SPENCER

Animal Inspector

Food and Provision Inspector

Inspector of Plumbing and Sanitation

JOHN V. SPENCER

Superintendent of Buildings

MELBOURNE MacLEOD

Janitors of Town Hall

ISAAC THOMPSON
FRED A. PHILLIPS

Town Engineer
HENRY SEAVER (Acting)

Superintendent of Town Infirmary
FRED SELLICK

Harbor Master
WALLACE OSGOOD

Collector of Water Charges
VIOLA G. WILSON

Collector of Selectmen's License Fees
VIOLA G. WILSON

Burial Agent
MILDRED FURLONG

Assessors' Office
DELMONT E. GODING, Secretary
M. LOUISE HAWKES EVELYN SHIRLEY

Board of Public Welfare Office
MARGARET J. AUGER, Chief Clerk
FRANK GAROFANO, Agent

Office of Old Age Assistance Department
FRANK GAROFANO, Agent
EILEEN MADDEN

Treasurer's Office
PHYLLIS E. DODGE, Chief Clerk
THELMA NELSON A. LOUISE BERRY

Accountant's Office
SETH PRIME ELSIE BARDH

Highway and Water Department
ANN BROWN THOMAS D. MORSE

Board of Health Office
MILDRED FURLONG, Clerk

Registrars of Voters' Office
FLORENCE A. DAY

Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting

MARCH 4, 1946

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

ESSEX, ss. February 21, 1946.

Pursuant hereunto I have served the within Warrant as directed by posting attested copies at the several precints at least seven days before said meeting according to the By-Laws, and afterwards by distributing to the inhabitants of the Town of Saugus.

A True Copy. Attest:

W. CHARLES SELLICK,
Constable of Saugus.

ESSEX, ss.

To W. Charles Sellick, Constable of the Town of Saugus,

GREETINGS:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Saugus, qualified to vote in Town Elections and Town Affairs, to meet at the several voting precincts of the Town on MONDAY, MARCH 4, A.D., Nineteen Hundred and forty-six, at Twelve o'clock, M., then and there to bring in their ballots to the Wardens for the following Town Officers:

FOR ONE YEAR:

THREE SELECTMEN
THREE PLAYGROUND COMMISSIONERS
CONSTABLE
TREE WARDEN
TOWN MODERATOR
ONE TOWN MEETING MEMBER IN PRECINCT ONE
ONE TOWN MEETING MEMBER IN PRECINCT TWO
ONE TOWN MEETING MEMBER IN PRECINCT THREE
ONE TOWN MEETING MEMBER IN PRECINCT FOUR
TWO TOWN MEETING MEMBERS IN PRECINCT SIX
ONE TOWN MEETING MEMBER IN PRECINCT EIGHT

FOR TWO YEARS:

ONE TRUSTEE OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY
ONE TOWN MEETING MEMBER IN PRECINCT THREE

FOR THREE YEARS:

ONE MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE
ONE ASSESSOR
TWO MEMBERS OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE
ONE MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH
TWO TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY
ONE CEMETERY COMMISSIONER
TEN TOWN MEETING MEMBERS IN PRECINCT ONE
NINE TOWN MEETING MEMBERS IN PRECINCT TWO
TEN TOWN MEETINGMEMBERS IN PRECINCT THREE
NINE TOWN MEETING MEMBERS IN PRECINCT FOUR
NINE TOWN MEETING MEMBERS IN PRECINCT FIVE

TEN TOWN MEETING MEMBERS IN PRECINCT SIX
NINE TOWN MEETING MEMBERS IN PRECINCT SEVEN
TWELVE TOWN MEETING MEMBERS IN PRECINCT EIGHT

FOR FIVE YEARS:

ONE MEMBER OF THE PLANNING BOARD.

Also your "Yes" or "No" on the following question:

"Shall an act passed by the general court in the year nineteen hundred and forty-five, entitled 'An Act relative to equal pay for men and women teachers', be in force in this town?"

YES	
NO	

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Saugus qualified to vote in Town Affairs to assemble in the Town Hall on WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13, A. D., Nineteen Hundred and Forty-six, at Eight o'clock P. M., to hear and act on the following articles, viz:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1946, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, and any amendments thereto, agreeable to the petition of the Town Treasurer.

Art. 2. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 49 of the Acts of 1933, and any amendments thereto, for the purpose of providing funds to meet ordinary maintenance expenses and revenue loans, such borrowing in no event to exceed the amount of the tax titles held in excess of the amount owing to the Commonwealth for similar loans previously made, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Town Treasurer.

Art. 3. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 635 of the Acts of 1945, permitting the payment of vacation pay to employees in advance, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Town Accountant.

Art. 4. To see if the Town will vote to accept a deed of a drainage easement from the Cliftondale Church of the Nazarene, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the School Committee.

Art. 5. To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 1 of Chapter 1 of the Building Ordinances by inserting the following sentence after the first sentence in said section:

> "The insulation of a structure or building otherwise than at the time of and as a part of its original construction shall be deemed an alteration within the meaning of this section."

or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Finance Committee.

Art. 6. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following rule further regulating the use of its sewer system:

> "The annual rental charge for use of the sewer system by property owners entering the same, whether their water service

be metered or unmetered, shall be fixed at five dollars per tenant."

or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Sewer Commissioners.

Art. 7. To see if the Town will vote to accept Basswood Avenue from Wamesit Avenue to No. 103 Basswood Avenue in accordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art 8. To see if the Town will vote to accept Charlotte Road in accordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 9. To see if the Town will vote to accept Glen Park Avenue in accordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 10. To see if the Town will vote to accept Holland Street in accordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 11. To see if the Town will vote to accept Old County Road for a distance of 600 feet in accordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 12. To see if the Town will vote to accept Pelham Street in accordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 13. To see if the Town will vote to accept Spencer Avenue in accordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 14. To see if the Town will vote to accept Trull Circle in accordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 15. To see if the Town will vote to accept Walden Avenue in accordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, gareeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 16. To see if the Town will vote to accept Walden Terrace in accordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 17. To see if the Town will vote to accept Walden Pond Avenue in accordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 18. To see if the Town will vote to accept Warren Street in accordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 19. To see if the Town will vote to accept Wonderland Avenue in accordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 20. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of $980.92 from the Overlay Surplus account to the following Overlay accounts:

1932	$ 9.75	1938	$21.45
1934	13.48	1939	28.70
1935	249.88	1940	14.81
1946	233.68	1941	19.48
1937	184.51	1942	10.60
1944	$194.58		

Art. 21. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of $882.01 for the payment of 1945 unpaid Trade School Tuition bills, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Town Accountant.

Art. 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $850.00 for the purpose of maintaining during the ensuing year the mosquito control work as estimated and certified to by the State Reclamation Board in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 11, Acts of 1931, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 23. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $650.00 to be expended under the direction of the Town Treasurer to investigate and to determine the validity of tax titles held by the Town, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Town Treasurer.

Art. 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $3000.00 for the payment of all expenses in connection with the foreclosure of tax titles held by the Town, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Town Treasurer.

Art. 25. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $300.00 to provide heat and light for the American Legion Building for the year 1946, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Burton L. Lyons and others.

Art. 26. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 to be used for rental purposes for Major Douglas R. Gordon Post No. 2346, V. F. W., or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of John S. Clanton and others.

Art. 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,250.00 for the purpose of purchasing a new automobile to be used by the Health Department, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Health.

Art. 28. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $7,500.00 for repairs to the Town Hall, including the present heating system, and to make alterations to the interior of the building in keeping with the requests of the State Inspector of the Department of Public Safety, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 29. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $3,000.00 for the construction of a fireproof vault in the basement of the Town Hall for the storage of the master plans of the Engineering Department and vital plans and records of other Town Departments, said

vault to be constructed in accordance with the prescribed rules and regulations of the Massachusetts Department of Documents and Records and said appropriation to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 30. To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Town Charges for the year 1946.

Art. 31. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,400.00 for the purpose of making necessary repairs to the town Infirmary buildings, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Public Welfare.

Art. 32. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 for the purpose of providing materials and labor on a 50/50 basis for the construction of sidewalks throughout the Town, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 33. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 to reconvert the boiler in the Central Junior High School Building from stoker-coal burning to the original oil burner installation and to install the stoker thus removed in the cast iron boiler in the High School Building, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the School Committee.

Art 34. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $7,500.00 to install a new heating system in the Roby School, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the School Committee.

Art. 35. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a committee to prepare plans and specifications for a Memorial Building to the Veterans of World War II, said committee to be appointed by the Moderator, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of John S. Clanton and others.

Art. 36. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $2,000.00 for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of Article 35, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of John S. Clanton and others.

Art. 37. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 to be expended in accordance with the provisions of Chapter I of the Acts of 1946, to properly celebrate the return of men and women who served in or were affiliated or associated with the Armed Forces of the United States in World War II, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 38. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 723 of the Acts of 1945 authorizing the establishment and maintenance of a municipal department for furnishing information, advice and assistance to veterans, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 39. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $1,200.00 for expenses incidental to the operation of a Veterans' Service Center in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 723, Acts of 1945, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selecmen.

Art. 40. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $500.00 for the pointing of, drainage of, and protection of the cemetery wall on Winter Street beginning at a point adjacent to the foot entrance and extending easterly to the land now or formerly of Dahlen a distance

of 800 feet, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Cemetery Commissioners.

Art. 41. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $6,800.00 for the filling and grading of the Montgomery property, so called, beginning at the westerly line of the present cemetery and extending westerly 240 feet and running northerly from Winter Street to the line of Shutes Brook, to provide additional burial space, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Cemetery Commissioners.

Art. 42. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $6,000.00 in order to continue and complete the work already started on the new Veterans' lot at Riverside Cemetery, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Cemetery Commissioners.

Art. 43. To see if the Town will vote to rescind the action taken at the 1945 Annual Town Meeting under Article 49 of the Warrant therefor, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 44. To see if the Town will vote to rescind the action taken at the 1945 Annual Town Meeting under Article 41 of the Warrant therefor, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 45. To see if the Town will vote to authorize and instruct the Board of Selectmen to enter into a contract for a term of years with the City of Lynn for a supply of water to the Town of Saugus at a price not to exceed $53.33 per million gallons, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 46. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purposes of constructing a standpipe and laying the necessary water mains in the North Saugus section of the Town, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 47. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 for land damages resulting from land takings on Woodbury Avenue and Hesper Street, said land takings to be in conjunction with the Chapter 90 work for the improvement of Woodbury Avenue and Hesper Street, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 48. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 for the continuation of the reconstruction of Woodbury Avenue and Hesper Street, said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 49. To see if the Town will vote to accept Sweetwater Street in accordance with plans and profile on file with the Town Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 50. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,000.00 for the improvement of Sweetwater Street, said money to be used in conjunction with equal amounts of money as may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Elsie Crockford and others.

Art. 51. To see if the Town will vote to purchase or to take by right of eminent domain, for highway purposes, Lots 18, 19, 20 and 21 on Assessors' Plan 1053, said lots being on the easterly side of Golden Hills Road, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Elsie Crockford and others.

Art. 52. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for carrying out the provisions of Article 51, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Elsie Crockford and others.

Art. 53. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,333.33 for the purpose of starting Chapter 90 road work on Golden Hills Road for a distance of one thousand feet, more or less, said sum to be matched by the State or County, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 54. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,000.00 for the purposes of surfacing Guild Road according and agreeable to the petition of Alex Ulban and others, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter.

Art. 55. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,500.00 for the purpose of constructing a street surface drainage system on Centennial Avenue, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 56. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $9,125.00 for the purposes of constructing a street surface drainage system on Lincoln Avenue beginning at Atlantic Avenue and connecting with the present system located at the junction of Lincoln Avenue and Guild Road, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 57. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $10,000.00 for the purpose of installing a proper street surface drainage system on Denver Street, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of James E. Stevens, Jr., and others.

Art. 58. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,000.00 for the purpose of constructing and laying a street surface drainage system on Connolly Avenue and Nason Road, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Earle Dumas and others.

Art. 59. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $2,700.00 for the purpose of constructing a street surface drainage system on Hayden Road, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 60. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $10,000.00 for the purpose of having the Saugus River dredged from Fox Hill Bridge in a northerly direction for 1800 feet to provide a width of 110 feet and a depth of 8 feet at mean low tide, said sum to be extended with a like sum to be provided by the City of Lynn and with $20,000.00 to be provided by the State, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of George A. Guilliford and others.

Art. 61. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to publish in book or pamphlet form the new real estate property valuations prepared by the Clemenshaw Co. for free distribu-

tion to the citizens, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Edward Gibbs, Jr., and others.

Art. 62. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $2,500.00 for water extension on Golden Hills Road and Jamaica Avenue for a distance of 475 feet, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Mildred Perry and others.

Art. 63. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $800.00 for the purpose of laying 250 feet of water mains on Hawkes Street, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of George B. Dixon and others.

Art. 64. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for water extension on Robins Road, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Pearl L. Blacknall and others.

Art. 65. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 for the purpose of providing a stabilization fund in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 124 of the Acts of 1945, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 66. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning for business purposes the property owned by Giles S. and Janie B. Bryer located at 432 and 434 Central Street, and adjacent to land owned by Cronin, Nelson and others, now zoned as general residence, and described as follows: beginning at a point on Central Street, thence running Southerly for a distance of 196 feet; thence turning and running Easterly 135 feet; thence turning and running Northerly 214 feet; thence running Westerly 135 feet; the same being a part of lot 168 and 151 as shown on the Assessors Plan 2023, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Giles S. Bryer and others.

Art. 67. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning for business purposes the entire block of properties situated on the Easterly side of Lincoln Avenue between Western Avenue and Fairview Avenue, now zoned for residential purposes, and described as follows: Beginning at the Northwesterly corner of Western Avenue and Lincoln Avenue the line runs Southerly along Lincoln Avenue 278.42 feet to Fairview Avenue; thence Easterly by Fairview Avenue 100 feet; thence Northerly 163 feet, more or less; thence Westerly 25 feet, more or less; thence Northerly 83 feet to Western Avenue; thence Westerly by Western Avenue 102.96 feet to the point of beginning, the same being the whole of lots A-74, A-93, A-75, A-76 and A-77 as shown on the Assessors' Plan 2008; or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Henry A. Comack and others.

Art. 68. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning for business purposes the property owned by Henry C. and Hazel Seaver located on Winter Street near Stocker Street and adjacent to land owned by the Town of Saugus, now zoned as single residence, and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Northerly line of Winter Street, said point being 74.99 feet Westerly from Stocker Street; thence the line runs Westerly along Winter Street 230.26 feet; thence the line turns and runs Northerly along the land of the Town of Saugus 100 feet; thence the line turns and runs Easterly along land of the Town of Saugus a distance of 200.20 feet; thence the line turns and runs Southerly a distance of 110.93 feet; to point of beginning, the same being the whole of lots A-58 and A-59 as shown on

Assessors' Plan 3010, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Henry C. Seaver and others.

Art. 69. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning for business purposes the property owned by Joseph and Teresa Bregante located at 763 Broadway and adjacent to land owned by Riley and Stanley, now zoned as single residence, and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Westerly side of Broadway, said point being 20 feet South from a stone bound which is the P.C. of a curve with a radius of 940.91 feet; thence the line runs North along said Broadway a distance of 93 feet to the property line of Riley; thence turning and running Westerly along said property line a distance of 100 feet; thence turning and running Southerly 93 feet; thence turning and running Easterly 100 feet to point of beginning, the same being a part of Lot A-21 as shown on the Assessors' Plan 2030, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Bernard M. Riley, John W. Whitehouse and others.

Art. 70. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning for industrial purposes the property owned by the Trimount Bituminous Products Co. located at 821 Broadway, now zoned for single residence and business purposes, same now being non-conforming use, and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Westerly side of Broadway, said point being the stone bound marking the Town and County line between Saugus and Melrose; thence the line runs Northerly along said Broadway 595.95 feet; thence turning and running Westerly a distance of 507.15 feet; thence turning and running Easterly a distance of 219.60 feet; thence turning and running Northerly a distance of 1062.17 feet; thence turning and running Westerly by a stone wall a distance of 441.05 feet; thence turning and running Southerly a distance of 904.72 feet; thence turning and running Westerly a distance of 239.50 feet; thence turning and running Northerly a distance of 68.62 feet; thence turning and running Westerly a distance of 50.70 feet; thence turning and running Southerly by said Town and County line a distance of 1455.18 feet to the point of beginning; containing 26.97 acres, the same being the whole of lot A as shown on Assessors' Plan 2030, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of M. Edward Hayes and others.

Article 71. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning for industrial purposes the property owned by Michael DeStefano located at Broadway and adjacent to the land owned by Gerondelis, now zoned as single residence and business, and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Easterly side of Broadway, said point being the property line of Louis and Charles Gerondelis and Michael DeStefano; thence the line runs Easterly a distance of 555 feet to Prankers Pond; thence the line turns and runs Southerly by the shore of said pond about 1800 feet; thence the line turns and runs Westerly by several courses to Broadway a distance of 1000 feet; thence the line runs Northeasterly by said Broadway about 565 feet to point of beginning; the same being the whole of Lot A-3 as shown on the Assessors' Plan 1048, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Delmont Goding and others.

Art. 72. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning for business purposes the property owned by Mary J. Adrian and Leo H. LeBlanc located at Broadway and Spring Street and adjacent to land owned by Sarah Porter and LeBlanc and R. G. Pike (formerly), now zoned as single residence, and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Westerly line of Broadway, said point being at the intersection of the Northerly line of Spring Street, so-called; thence the line runs Northewesterly along Spring Street a dis-

tance of 66.30 feet; thence the line runs Northeasterly a distance 180.13 feet; thence the line runs Northwesterly a distance of 67 feet; thence the line runs Northwesterly a distance 86.80 feet; thence the line runs Southeasterly a distance of 75.85 feet; thence the line runs Southwesterly along Broadway a distance of 279.41 feet to point of beginning; the same being the whole of lot A-24 as shown on the Assessors' Plan 1039, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Leo H. LeBlanc and others.

Art. 73. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map so that land shown on Assessors' Plan 3027 as Lots A-31 and A-32 shall be zoned for business, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Lawrence L. Couturier and others.

Art. 74. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning for business purposes the property owned by Lewis W. Austin located on Broadway (north of Main) and

adjacent to land owned by Lewis W. Austin, now zoned as single residence, and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Easterly line of Broadway at a mounment marking the P.C. of a curve with a radius of 2740 feet on the State layout of 1936; thence the line runs along said Broadway a distance of 694.92 feet; thence turning and running Easterly 550.63 feet; thence turning and running Southerly a distance of 668.08 feet; thence turning and running Westerly by several courses 469.26 feet to point of beginning, and containing about 7.50 acres; the same being the whole of lots A-32 and A-37 as shown on the Assessors' Plan 1028 and 1029, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Edward W. Flood and others.

Art. 75. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map so that the property shown as Lot A-16 on Assessors' Plan 1029 may be zoned for business, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Delmont E. Goding and others.

Art. 76. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning for business purposes the property owned by Maria Mazzariell located on Lincoln Avenue and adjacent to the land owned by Carter, now zoned as single residence, and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Easterly side of Lincoln Avenue, said point being 130.05 feet South from the intersection of Lincoln Court; thence the line runs Easterly a distance of 115 feet to the property of Carter; thence the line turns and runs Westerly by said property line 113.50 feet to Lincoln Avenue; thence the line runs Northerly by Lincoln Avenue a distance of 34.30 feet to the point of beginning; the same being the whole of lot A-59 on Assessors' Plan 2008, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of T. A. Phillips and others.

Art. 77. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning for business purposes the property owned by the Uno Ventilator Company located at 565 Lincoln Avenue and shown as Lot A-122 on Assessors' Plan 2001, now zoned as single residence (now non-conforming) and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Westerly side of Lincoln Avenue, said point being 155 feet South from the intersection of the Southerly line of Linwood Street and said Lincoln Avenue; thence the line runs Northwesterly a distance of 130 feet; thence the line turns and runs Southwesterly a distance of 37.50 feet; thence the line turns and runs Southeasterly a distance of 130 feet to Lincoln Avenue; thence the line runs by said Lincoln Avenue 37.50 feet to the point of beginning; or to see what action the Town

will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Archibald M. Sweezey and others.

Art. 78. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning for business purposes the property owned by Phillip and Julia Carbone located at and adjacent to land owned by Mabel I. Beauregard, now zoned as single residence and business, and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Easterly side of Broadway, said point being the property line of Mabel I. Beauregard and Phillip and Julia Carbone; thence the line runs Easterly 165 feet; thence the line turns and runs Northerrly about 370 feet to Walden Avenue; thence the line runs by said Avenue 49.5 feet; thence the line turns and runs Southeasterly 720 feet; thence the line turns and runs Southwesterly about 340 feet; thence the line runs Northerly along Broadway 170 feet to the point of beginning; the same being a part of Lot A-144 as shown on the Assessors' Plan 1041, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of George A. Eaton and others.

Art. 79. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning for business purposes the property owned by Joseph Ward and Grace Ward located at 15 and 15½ East Denver Street and adjacent to land owned by J. W. Currier, now zoned as general residence, and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Southerly side of East Denver Street, said point being 325.20 feet Westerly from the intersection of Orcutt Avenue, thence Northerly by East Denver Street 50 feet; thence Easterly 100 feet; thence Southerly 50 feet; thence Westerly 87 feet to the point of beginning; the same being the whole of Lot A-5 as shown on Assessors' Plan 1016, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Joseph and Grace Ward and others.

Art. 80. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning for business purposes the property owned by Louis A. and Caroline E. Ciampa located at 38 Bristow Street and adjacent to land owned by the Town of Saugus, now zoned as single residence, and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Westerly side of Bristow Street, thence the line runs Westerly a distance of 100 feet to land of Cogliano; thence turning and running Northerly a distance of 200 feet to land of the Town of Saugus; thence turning and running Easterly 100 feet to Bristow Street; thence turning and running Southerly by said Bristow Street, 200 feet to the point of beginning; the same being the whole of Lots A-245, A-247 and A-186 as shown on Assessors' Plan 3015, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Louis and Caroline Ciampa and others.

Art. 81. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning for business purposes Lot A-9 on Assessors' Plan 2035, Lot A-59; -6-7-8-9-17-18-19-20 as shown on Assessors' Plan 3022, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of James Nicolo and others.

The polls will open at 12 o'clock, noon, and will close at 8 o'clock P.M., and you are hereby directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the usual places seven days, at least, before the time of holding said meeting, and to distribute copies as provided by the By-Laws at least four days before.

Hereof, fail not, and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands and Town Seal this Eleventh day of February, A.D., Nineteen Hundred and Forty-six.

C. CARROLL CUNNINGHAM,
GEORGE H. QUARMBY,
HAROLD P. RICE,
Board of Selectmen.

A true copy.
Attest:
W. CHARLES SELLICK, Constable.

February 25, 1946.

Pursuant hitherto I have posted the within Warrant at the several precincts and delivered to the inhabitants of the Town of Saugus an attested copy.

W. CHARLES SELLICK,
Constable.

February 25, 1946.

In compliance with Chapter 55 of the Acts of 1928 and also with Section 2 of the By-Laws of the Town of Saugus I hereby certify that today I mailed to all limited town meeting members a printed copy of the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting of March 4, 1946.

Signed:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

A true copy.
Attest:
VIOLA G. WILSON, Town Clerk.

Report of the Finance Committee

TO THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MARCH 4, 1946

To the Representative Town Meeting and Citizens of the Town of Saugus

The Finance Committee presents herewith its report and recommendations relative to the various financial articles contained in the warrant for the 1946 Annual Town Meeting. The Committee has devoted some 22 sessions to the necessary hearing and feel that full consideration has been given all proposals. Countless hours have been devoted to the problems concerned by all members of the Committee acting as individuals.

Rarely, if ever, has a Finance Committee been more concerned with the financial structure of the Town, but inasmuch as at the time of this writing, the figures resulting from the recent re-assessment project are not yet included in the Assessors' tax listing, the Committee is unable to determine a proper basic valuation in computing its figures. This condition has had some bearing in determining our action relative to increased personnel in the Public Works Department and on special articles.

We unanimously recommend the continuation of the temporary increased cost of living increase currently included in the salaries of all employees in view of the continuing increased cost of all living commodities.

The present labor management difficulties and resulting unemployment are especially reflected in the section of the budget covering Charities and Soldiers Benefits. With numerous Saugus workers and families affected, a sharp increase of aid rendered has been necessary since the mid-January period in both the Public Welfare and Soldiers Benefits Departments. We feel uncertain as to the ultimate expenditures resulting from this condition but hope for a discontinuance in the near future.

Various amounts have been requested under special articles covering the work felt necessary to recondition some of our town buildings and we have consolidated some of the most necessary requested improvements in the general budget under Item 36A. Further explanation will be found under Comment on the General Budget Item 36A.

In conclusion, the Committee regrets that it cannot find its way clear to approve many of the meritorious requests, but our principal efforts are controlled by a desire to maintain a maximum of service under a minimum tax rate.

Article 30, General Budget	$1,022,732.45	$924,758.13
Special Articles	117,790.34	38,112.01
	$1,140,522.79	$962,870.14

COMMENT ON THE GENERAL BUDGET
Article 30

Item 9, Tax Collector. Increase due to new legislation providing detailed tax billing.

Item 11. Assessing. Increase due to proposed purchase of new calculating machine.

Item 14. Election and Registration. There are three elections listed during 1946 as against one in 1945.

Item 16A. New Road Machinery and Equipment. We unanimously favor the purchase of the following equipment for the Public Works Department:

1 New Gasoline Roller	$6,000.00
1 New 3½ Ton Truck	6,000.00
1 New Automatic Sander	450.00
	$12,450.00

At present, our Public Works Department is forced to either rent or borrow a roller for street work and it is most necessary. Some of our main roads and side streets are quite steep and it is impossible to properly surface or construct streets without a roller.

Probably no comment is necessary on the proposed new truck when you consider the age and condition of the available equipment used by the various divisions of this department. Most of our trucks are overage and are constantly being repaired.

The addition of an automatic sander to at least one truck in the Public Works Department, will tend to increase efficiency and lessen labor costs of snow and ice removal. This attachment can also be used

on street work inasmuch as it is capable of spreading materials ranging from sand to stone measuring up to one inch.

Item 26. Water Extensions. This is increased materially over the request. Since the request was prepared, it has been brought to our attention that a suitable pipe is planned on lower Hesper Street and Hamilton Avenue at the same time that Chapter 90 construction is planned. We feel it justifiable to lay the requested pipe to avoid excavating after the new road is built.

Item 27. Hydrants, Gates and Meters. This includes a sum for the purchase of 100 new meters and a substantial sum for the purchase of repair parts. The new meter testing machine and room made available last year makes our Water Division well equipped to handle its work and new meters and repair parts must be made available when needed.

Item 29. Public Works and Allied Division (Salaries and Wages only). We sincerely regret that we are unable to recommend all of the additional personnel as requested. We fully realize that much needs to be done but we are impelled by the total amounts recommended in the general budget to carry this matter over to a future period. The increase does however, include four additional men.

Item 30. Police Department. We have reduced this request by making allowance for a lower priced prowl car, on which repair and maintenance costs should not approach the costs on heavier cars.

Item 33. Fire Department. This includes one additional man needed to balance the working shifts. It was our intention to recommend two men but circumstances prevent us from so doing.

Item 36A. This is a new account to be known as the Town Buildings Repairs Account. This new item will allow a start to be made in correcting and preserving our municipal buildings on which on major repairs or painting have been done since the early W.P.A. days. It is our unanimous recommendation that this work be done under the direction of the Superintendent of Buildings, who we feel, as a competent, full-time official, will see that the Town will receive a full dollar's worth of value for every dollar expended. Suggested repairs are:

TOWN HALL	
Exterior Painting	$2,000.00
Fire Escape and Necessary Doors	1,575.00
Interior Painting and Repairs:	
Selectmen's Office	100.00
Treasurer's Office	75.00
TOWN INFIRMARY BUILDINGS	
Roofing and Repairs	1,150.00
OTHER BUILDINGS	
Miscellaneous Painting and Repairs	100.00
	$5,000.00

Item 38. Gypsy Moth Department. The increase over 1945 in this account consists of wages, mosquito control and poison ivy extermination. One employee has returned from the armed services and it is our policy to also compensate the head of this division for the effort involved.

Item 39. Tree Warden. Inclusion of a sum for elm beetle control causes this increase.

Item 44. Old Age Assistance—Aid. Liberalization of the State laws covering this department entails necessary additional expense.

Item 46. Aid to Dependent Children—Aid. Same as Item 44.

Item 48. Public Welfare—Temporary Aid. Current labor-management troubles cause a rise in temporary aid and the request is necessarily estimated due to the time element involved. If conditions remain unsettled, additional costs will necessarily result.

Item 50. Soldier's Relief. Same explanation as Item 48.

Item 53. Schools. Return of several teachers from the armed services,automatic step-rate increases, increased fuel and transportation costs and the inclusion of a sum to assist in equipping the High School Band with uniforms cause an increase here.

Item 55. Trade School Tuition. Use of trade school facilities by some of our returned veterans who prefer them to re-entering our High School causes this increase.

Item 56. Stadium Maintenance. Increase due to proposed work on field and grandstand.

Item 66. Cemeteries. The sum recommended provides an additional man badly needed to cope with increased work. Past additions to Riverside Cemetery and a new one now to be made, it is necessary to increase the labor force to maintain this enterprise.

Item 74. Interest on Water Loans. This item represents six months interest on the water construction loan authorized by the 1945 annual town meeting.

ACTION ON SPECIAL ARTICLES

Art. 1.	Recommended (This is the usual article).	
Art. 2.	Recommended (This is the usual article).	
Art. 3.	Recommended (To comply with new statute).	
Art. 20.	Recommended (Overlay Surplus Account transfer).	
Art. 21.	Recommended (1945 Unpaid Trade School Bills)..	$ 882.01
Art. 22.	Recommended (Mosquito Control)	850.00
Art. 23.	Recommended (Tax Title Validity)	650.00
Art. 24.	Recommended (Foreclosure of Tax Titles)	3,000.00
Art. 25.	Recommended (Legion Bldg. Heat and Light)	300.00
Art. 26.	Recommended (Rental V.F.W. Quarters)	500.00
Art. 27.	Recommended (Car Purchase, Board of Health)..	1,250.00
Art. 28.	(Town Hall Repairs) included in Item 36A. Art. 30	
Art. 29.	Not Recommended (Fireproof Vault in Town Hall)	
Art. 31.	(Town Infirmary Repairs) included in Item 36A of Article 30	
Art. 32.	Not Recommended (Sidewalk Construction	
Art. 33.	Not Recommended (Central Jr. High Oil Conversion)	
Art. 34.	Recommended (Roby School New Boiler Installation	7,500.00
Art. 36.	No Action (MemorialBldg. Com. Expenses)	
Art. 37.	Not Recommended (Reception, World War II Veterans)	
Art. 39.	Not Recommended (Veterans' Service Center)	
Art. 40.	Recommended (Riverside Cemetery Wall Repairs)	500.00
Art. 41.	Recommended(Riverside Cemetery Enlargement)..	3,000.00
Art. 42.	Recommended (New Veterans' Lot, Riverside Cem.	*3,000.00
Art. 46.	No Action (North Saugus Standpipe)	
Art. 47.	Recommended(Chap. 90 Land Damages, Hesper St.)	5,000.00

Art. 48.	Recommended (Chap.90 Construction, HesperSt.)	5,000.00
Art. 50.	Not Recommended (Sweetwater St. Improvement)	
Art. 52.	Not Recommended (Chap. 90 Land Damages, Golden Hills)	
Art. 53.	Not Recommended (Chap 90 Const., Golden Hills)	
Art. 54.	Not Recommended (Guild Road Resurfacing)	
Art. 55.	Recommended (Surface Drainage, Centennial Ave.	1,850.00
Art. 56.	Recommended (Surface Drainage, Lincoln Ave.)..	4,900.00
Art. 57.	Recommended Surface Drainage, Denver St.)	1,980.00
Art. 58.	Not Recommended (Surface Drainage, Sunnyside Pk.)	
Art. 59.	Recommended (Surface Drainage, Hayden Rd.)	950.00
Art. 60.	Not Recommended (Saugus River Dredging)	
Art. 61.	Not Recommended (Publication, Real Estate Assess.)	
Art. 62.	Not Recommended (Water Exten., Golden Hills Rr.)	
Art. 63.	Not Recommended (Water Extension, Hawkes St.)	
Art. 64.	No Action (Water Extension, Robins Rd.)	
Art. 65.	No Action (Stabilization Fund)	
		$ 38,112.01
Total Article 30 Recommendations		924,758.13
Grand Total Recommended		$962,870.14

*From available funds "Sale of Cemetery Land Fund."

FINANCE COMMITTEE,

Arthur Dearing, Chairman
William H. Robinson, Secretary
Frank B. Newhall
Joseph A. White
Clement C. Fearns
Laurence E. Richardson
George M. Connell
Arthur W. Price

Action of Finance Committee on General Budget

GENERAL GOVERNMENT: (6.10% of total)	Expended 1944	Approp. and Transfers 1945	Expended 1945	Requested 1946	Recommended 1946
1. Moderator	none	$ 50.00	none	none	$ 50.00
2. Finance Committee	$ 439.08	450.00	$ 443.59	$ 540.00	450.00
3. Planning Board	525.47	600.00	523.15	502.80	525.00
4. Board of Appeals	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00
5. Selectmen	2,328.62	2,650.00	2,606.82	2,808.50	2,500.00
6. Accounting	6,200.00	6,800.00	6,800.00	6,800.00	6,800.00
7. Treasury	6,792.79	7,300.00	7,275.23	7,434.12	7,400.00
8. Registration Town Notes	40.00	50.00	14.00	50.00	50.00
9. Tax Collector	9,349.51	10,075.00	10,071.17	10,864.13	10,500.00
10. Tax Title Expense	292.95	500.00	499.75	650.00	500.00
11. Assessing	8,945.00	9,654.00	9,654.00	10,235.72	10,200.00
12. Law Department	1,994.70	2,236.01	1,736.01	1,800.00	1,800.00
13. Town Clerk	1,249.80	1,275.00	1,274.82	1,510.75	1,350.00
14. Election and Registration	6,779.33	6,550.00	5,628.64	8,180.00	7,350.00
15. Town Hall	6,099.14	6,850.00	6,849.87	6,650.00	6,500.00
	$51,236.39	$55,240.01	$53,577.05	$58,136.02	$56,175.00

PUBLIC WORKS AND ALLIED DIVISIONS: (19.65% of total)	Expended 1944	Approp. and Transfers 1945	Expended 1945	Requested 1946	Recommended 1946
Administration and Engineering:					
Public Works (Salaries)	($6,382.00)	Inc. in #29	($7,246.96)	Inc. in #29	Inc. in #29
16. Public Works (Other Expenses)	699.87	$ 2,650.00	2,649.41	2,825.00	2,700.00
16a. New Road Machinery & Equipment	— —	10,950.00	10,250.15	28,200.00	12,450.00
Engineering (Salaries)	(6,658.40)	Inc. in #29	(6,919.02)	Inc. in #29	Inc. in #29
17. Engineering (Expenses)	340.00	250.00	246.51	250.00	250.00
Sanitary Division:					
Ashes and Refuse (Salaries)	(6,025.00)	Inc. in #29	(6,750.26)	Inc. in #29	Inc. in #29
18. Ashes and Refuse (Expenses)	621.97	600.00	598.05	1,180.00	600.00
Sewer Maintenance (Salaries)	(1,292.00)	Inc. in #29	(375.20)	Inc. in #29	Inc. in #29
19. Sewer Maintenance (Expenses)	2,975.63	9,850.00	4,359.00	4,481.00	12,500.00
Sewer Construction	Spec. Art.	(5,000.00)	4,585.50	12,000.00	(8,000.00)
Highways and Bridges:					Inc. in #19
Highways and Bridges (Salaries)	(19,037.87)	Inc. in #29	(27,779.48)	Inc. in #29	Inc. in #29
20. Highways and Bridges (Expenses)	6,299.93	17,600.00	17,586.49	25,500.00	17,500.00
Sand, Oil and Grade Streets	Spec. Art.	(3,000.00)	(2,997.92)	Inc. in #20	(3,000.00)
21. Street Lighting	16,407.04	17,524.03			Inc. in #20
22. Snow and Ice Removal	3,999.75	18,000.00	17,524.03	17,500.00	17,500.00
23. Resurfacing (Materials only)	6,198.00	(7,000.00)	17,994.87	18,000.00	15,000.00
Water Division:			(6,998.63)	Inc. in #20	(7,000.00)
24. Water Purchase	21,212.48	22,000.00			Inc. in #20
Water Maintenance (Salaries)	(15,103.51)	Inc. in #29	20,419.18	22,000.00	17,500.00
25. Water Maintenance (Expenses)	6,298.88	5,800.00	(15,605.27)	Inc. in #29	Inc. in #29
26. Water Extensions (Material)	497.22	800.00	5,797.59	7,585.00	7,500.00
27. Hydrants, Gates, Meters (Materials)	786.76	800.00	792.90	1,200.00	4,800.00
28. Water Services (Materials)	1,299.68	1,300.00	791.25	8,305.00	3,700.00
29. Public Works and Allied Divisions			1,281.79	2,000.00	1,700.00
Salaries only	54,498.78	64,840.00	64,676.19	91,207.96	73,045.00
	$122,135.99	$172,964.03	$169,552.91	$242,233.96	$186,745.00

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY: (13.67% of total)	Expended 1944	Approp. and Transfers 1945	Expended 1945	Requested 1946	Recommended 1946
30. Police Department	$ 40,516.13	$ 46,675.00	$ 45,409.49	$ 48,725.00	$ 46,500.00
31. Fire and Police Building Maintenance	3,493.18	3,750.00	3,740.28	3,807.94	3,700.00
32. Town Constable	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
33. Fire Department	45,276.00	52,000.00	51,667.50	53,277.50	52,400.00
34. Fire Alarm Division	2,575.57	3,000.00	2,712.69	3,000.00	3,000.00
35. Forest Fires	114.87	200.00	69.80	200.00	200.00
36. Building Inspection	3,000.00	3,250.00	3,241.73	3,400.00	3,400.00
36a. Town Building Repairs	— —	— —	— —	5,000.00	5,000.00
37. Sealer of Weights and Measures	1,185.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00
38. Gypsy Moth Department	5,649.41	6,975.00	6,948.11	8,123.08	8,100.00
39. Tree Warden	1,197.51	1,450.00	1,444.31	1,770.04	1,750.00
40. Public Safety Committee	56.44	75.00	50.90	75.00	75.00
40a. Harbormaster	none	none	none	540.35	none
	$103,164.54	$118,975.00	$116,884.84	$129,518.91	$125,725.00
HEALTH AND SANITATION: (2.45% of total)					
41. Health Department	$ 14,733.47	$ 16,650.00	$15,589.96	$17,550.04	$16,000.00
42. Vital Statistics	40.75	60.00	55.00	60.00	60.00
43. Removal of Garbage	6,000.00	6,000.00	6,000.00	6,000.00	6,000.00
	$20,774.22	$22,710.00	$21,644.96	$23,610.04	$22,060.00

	Expended 1944	Approp. and Transfers 1945	Expended 1945	Requested 1946	Recommended 1946
CHARITIES: (11.17% of total)					
44. O. A. A.—Aid	$54,764.11	$60,000.00	$58,607,77	$75,218.80	$70,000.00
45. O. A. A.—Administration	2,114.65	2,925.00	2,615,24	2,950.00	2,950.00
46. A. D. C.—Aid	4,783.15	6,550.00	6,400.29	13,443.00	9,000.00
47. A. D. C.—Administration	437.44	625.00	621.70	700.00	700.00
48. Public Welfare—Temporary Aid	10,688.12	12,275.00	12,197.65	17,449.20	15,000.00
49. Infirmary	4,660.67	4,875.00	4,874.89	5,549.90	5,100.00
	$77,448.14	$87,250.00	$85,317.54	$115,310.90	$102,750.00
SOLDIERS' BENEFITS: (2.06% of total)					
50. Soldiers' Relief	$11,378.59	$12,100.00	$11,837.21	$16,000.00	$16,000.00
51. State Aid, Military Aid and World War II Allowances	2,743.00	3,000.00	2,578.50	4,000.00	3,000.00
52. Soldiers' Burials	none	100.00	none	100.00	Inc. in #50
	$14,121.59	$15,200.00	$14,415.71	$20,100.00	$19,000.00
SCHOOLS: (33.77% of total)					
53. Schools	$254,940.79	$279,600.00	$279,063.60	$295,216.62	$295,000.00
54 Schoolhouse Repairs	9,952.28	10,000.00	9,882.36	10,000.00	10,000.00
55. Trade School Tuition	1,787.95	2,000.00	1,986.13	3,000.00	3,000.00
56. Stadium Maintenance	999.22	1,300.00	1,297,65	2,500.00	2,500.00
	$267,680.24	$292,900.00	$292,229.74	$310,716.62	$310,500.00
LIBRARIES: (1.05% of total)					
57. Libraries	$10,995.05	$11,500.00	$11,495.15	$13,136.00	*$9,711.35
RECREATION: (0.21% of total)					
58. Playgrounds	$1,668.98	$2,000.00	$1,989.50	$7,242.00	$2,000.00

*Plus $2,188.65 from available funds (Reimbursement by County for Dog Licenses)

	Expended 1944	Approp. and Transfers 1945	Expended 1945	Requested 1946	Recommended 1946
PENSIONS: (1.41% of total)					
59. Departmental Pensions	$ 5,321.00	$ 5,321.00	$ 5,321.00	$ 5,321.00	$ 5,321.00
60. Contributory Retirement System	12,000.00	13,200.00	13,200.00	7,700.00	7,700.00
	$17,321,00	$18,521.00	$18,521.00	$13,021.00	$13,021.00
UNCLASSIFIED: (2.44% of total)					
61. Judgments and Settlements	$ 286.00	$ 500.00	$ 100.00	$ 500.00	$ 500.00
62. Memorial Day	461.95	600.00	600.00	600.00	600.00
63. Town Reports	1,017.35	1,100.00	1,090.00	1,400.00	1,400.00
64. Insurance	9,458.62	9,500.00	8,650.09	10,000.00	10,000.00
65. Reserve Fund	(5,997.54)	6,000.00	(5,998.04)	10,000.00	10,000.00
	$11,223.92	$17,700.00	$10,440.09	$22,500.00	$22,500.00
CEMETERIES: (2.15% of total)					
66. Cemeteries	$16,991.07	$21,005.00	$19,936.56	$22,547.00	$19,815.17
INTEREST AND MATURING DEPT: (3.78% of total)					
Maturities:					
67. Relief Loan	$ 1,000.00	$ 1,000.00	$ 1,000.00	$ 1,000.00	$ 1,000.00
68. Fire and Police Station Loan	5,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
69. Sewer Loans	18,000.00	18,000.00	18,000.00	18,000.00	†12,095.61
Interest					
70. On Relief Loans	112.50	90.00	90.00	67.50	67.50
71. On Fire and Police Station Loan	1,137.50	975.00	975.00	877.50	877.50
72. On Sewer Loans	11,055.00	10,560.00	10,560.00	10,065.00	10,065.00
73. On Temporary Loans	3,653.26	6,000.00	2,849.49	10,000.00	6,000.00
74. On Water Loans	none	none	none	1,650.00	1,650.00
	$39,958.26	$39,625.00	$36,574.49	$44,660.00	$34,755.61
Article 30 Grand Total	$754,719.39	$875,590.04	$852,579.09	$1,022,732.45	$924,758.13

*Plus $2,684.83 from Available funds (Income from Perpetual Care Deposits)
†Plus $5,904.39 from available funds (Reserve for Payment of Sewer Loans)

Annual Town Election

MARCH 4, 1946

SELECTMEN

	Precinct 1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
*C.CarrollCunningham	257	251	299	206	183	345	156	270	1967
Wm. J. MacDougall	218	139	159	172	137	156	158	200	1339
*Wm. S. Oliver	469	232	281	262	309	186	232	344	2315
George H. Quarmby	317	152	219	146	140	261	136	231	1602
*Wm. H. Robinson	357	230	276	307	188	269	233	311	2171
Robt. E. Thompson	160	204	136	173	113	160	136	211	1293
Gilbert Wheeler	100	201	89	156	65	116	143	116	986
Blanks	351	247	218	252	185	361	159	270	2043
Total	2229	1656	1677	1674	1320	1854	1353	1953	13716

ASSESSOR

Alex. S. Addison	160	127	90	125	63	86	172	97	920
*Frank Evans, Jr.	238	207	146	162	100	214	134	193	1394
Arthur E. Gustafson	177	88	174	90	81	81	62	193	946
John J. Mullen	149	109	116	153	169	211	73	132	1112
Blanks	19	21	33	28	27	26	10	36	200
Total	743	552	559	558	440	618	451	651	4572

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

*Gustave A. Anderson	600	447	468	463	354	518	399	555	3804
Blanks	143	105	91	95	86	100	52	96	768
Total	743	552	559	558	440	618	451	651	4572

TREE WARDEN

*Geo. L. Pearce	614	452	464	452	336	507	391	543	3759
Blanks	129	100	95	106	104	111	60	108	813
Total	743	552	559	558	440	618	451	651	4572

BOARD OF HEALTH

*Leroy C. Furbush	618	454	465	456	353	526	399	536	3807
Blanks	125	98	94	102	87	92	52	115	765
Total	743	552	559	558	440	618	451	651	4572

MODERATOR

*Laurence F. Davis	572	442	462	419	334	497	362	512	3600
Blanks	171	110	97	139	106	121	89	139	972
Total	743	552	559	558	440	618	451	651	4572

CONSTABLE

*W. Charles Sellick ..	642	464	469	468	354	529	394	574	3894
Laurence F. Davis ..	1								1
Blanks	100	88	90	90	86	89	57	77	677
Total	743	552	559	558	440	618	451	651	4572

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

*James W. Currier ..	231	146	122	196	137	214	144	153	1343
Arthur Dearing	182	219	111	119	85	145	125	124	1110
Marion F. Emmett..	317	96	149	139	120	104	111	175	1211
Lewis O. Gray	131	42	86	54	44	58	41	144	600
*David J. Lucey	328	296	297	230	215	377	181	357	2281
Harriet A. McAdoo..	130	147	168	210	124	115	215	142	1251
Blanks	167	158	185	168	155	223	85	207	1348
Total	1486	1104	1118	1116	880	1236	902	1302	9144

CEMETERY COMMISSION

*Benj. A. Fullerton..	320	264	270	243	196	305	219	295	2112
Geo. W. Nicholson ..	364	232	233	257	172	240	216	312	2026
Blanks	59	56	56	58	72	73	16	44	434
Total	743	552	559	558	440	618	451	651	4572

PLANNING BOARD

*James O. Smith	561	415	407	426	305	462	367	500	3443
Blanks	182	137	152	132	135	156	84	151	1129
Total	743	552	559	558	440	618	451	651	4572

PLAYGROUND COMMISSION

*Paul Corson	482	324	345	418	267	346	334	420	2936
*Walter R. Decareau	316	174	241	216	177	210	194	297	1825
*Edwin M. Holmes ...	502	348	378	360	259	354	327	440	2968
Raymond E. Knox ..	297	148	161	172	149	154	133	240	1454
Joseph P. Rossetti ..	148	288	176	144	111	271	144	167	1449
Blanks	484	374	376	364	357	519	221	389	3084
Total	2229	1656	1677	1674	1320	1854	1353	1953	13716

TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY (3 years)

*Albert R. Magee	522	400	395	384	304	440	346	468	3259
*Elmer H. Watson	555	376	388	403	311	420	351	490	3294
Blanks	409	328	335	329	265	376	205	344	2591
Total	1486	1104	1118	1116	880	1236	902	1302	9144

TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY (2 years)

*William Irby	545	403	401	408	308	449	371	497	3382
Blanks	198	149	158	150	132	169	80	154	1190
Total	743	552	559	558	440	618	451	651	4572

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS

Precinct One—Three Years

*Howard W. Bassett	333	*Thomas D. Morse	362
*Walter D. Blossom	385	*Frank B. Newhall	454
Wm. J. Burke	234	*John L. Silver	502
*L. Elmer Day	360	*Elmer H. Watson	478
*Stanley W. Day	366	Frank B. Bothroyd	1
Arthur F. Diotte	207	Thomas G. Skahan	1
Leslie E. Downs	317	Ralph L. Keller	1
*Ferd. L. Fiske, Jr.	374	Blanks	2126
Robt. F. Griffin	309		
*Harold W. Humphrey	373		
Arthur S. Husson	244	Total	7430

Precinct One—Two Years

*Clyde E. Allen	422	Blanks	126
Lucy C. Humphrey	195	Total	743

Precinct Two—Three Years

*Kenneth J. Barnes	316	*Bartholomew Creedon	3
*James T. Como	299	Miriam E. Wolf	1
*Albert J. Moylan	335	Benedict Wolf	1
*John J. Sandilands	320	Milton Martin	1
*Arthur F. Spinney	331	Daniel Dwyer	1
*Leon C. Young	376	Herbert Diamond	1
Carl Anderson	1	Walter S. Hamilton	1
*Alex S. McCarrier	2	Fred. F. Flaherty	1
Thomas Quinlan	1	Stasia Marks	1
Frank Dahlberg	1	James Holmes	1
Frank Dahlberg, Jr.	1	Blanks	2970
Robert Champoux	1		
*Harold W. Anderson	2	Total	4968

Precinct Two—One Year

*Thomas F. Quinlan	2	Blanks	547
Arthur Dearing	1		
Milton I. Martin	1		
Stanley E. Marks	1	Total	552

Precinct Three—Three Years

*Gordon H. Baker	339	*Frank L. Perry	338
*Hubert B. Connolly	331	*George W. Pitman	354
*Frank J. Drewniany	339	*John E. Wood	339
*Floyd Flower	325	Blanks	2210
*Alonzo D. Ireson, Jr.	340		
*Cornelius J. McHugh	334		
*Ernest G. Mitchell	341	Total	5590

Precinct Three—Two Years

*Milton E. French	364	Blanks	160
Dana Lewis	35	Total	559

Precinct Three—One Year

T—Warren D. Lewis	5	Blanks	548
T—Edward Gallante	5		
Samuel Rice, Jr.	1	Total	559

Precinct Four—Three Years

Henry W. V. Archibald	150	*Walter F. Neal	223
*Milton W. Chambers	287	Frank Reppucci	160
*Wilmer H. Churchill	205	Dexter G. Rich	175
Harold E. Crockford	155	Fred C. Smith	180
Robert L. Davis	191	*Roy L. Smith	221
William T. Duffy	133	*Mabel C. Willey	201
*William Irby	219	James R. Williams	166
*Anna V. Jacobs	199	*Virginia E. Woodward	266
*John B. Leahy	240	Blanks	1345
Benj. A. MacGlashin	128		
Hazel C. Marison	178	Total	5022

Precinct Four—One Year

*John E. Marston	399		
Blanks	159	Total	558

Precinct Five—Three Years

*F. Dudley Bacon	263	*Robert G. Ballard	29
*Joseph Bucchiere	259	Walter Dunham	9
*Frank H. Chickering	241	Elizabeth Hogle	8
*R. Alfred Delfugo	217	David Ives	1
*Charles W. Donovan	273	Joseph LeColst	1
*Hollis E. Hogle, Jr.	243	Allen Rogers	2
*Edwin M. Thompson	259	Joseph Cronin	1
Orin Bentley	2	O. F. Pearson	1
Victor S. Bergstrom	9	Philip H. Hull	1
Townsend Chaffner	1	Henry H. Corey	6
*Nathan M. Mallar	32	William E. LaVerne	11
Salvatore Vella	1	Blanks	2070
Prescott M. Murray	10		
Charles H. Southard, Jr.	9		
Frank J. Collins	1	Total	3960

Precinct Six—Three Years

*Philip R. Albee	238	John P. Naso	132
Louis Ciampa	196	*Edward J. O'Neil	272
*James W. Currier	321	Harold Pendlebury	231
*Robert C. Davis	242	*Ralph H. Sweetser	286
L. Earle Dumas	202	Alex Ulbin	185
Manuel Giansiracusa	128	*John H. Worthley	270
*Harold P. Hutchins	294	Robt. J. Chiabrandy	2
*Charles S. James	262	Blanks	2040
Fredk. J. Kilroy	208		
*David J. Lucey	380		
*Fred W. McKay	291	Total	6180

Precinct Six—One Year

*William A. Diamond	355	Blanks	377
*Edward M. Down	306		
David P. Fleming	198	Total	1236

Precinct Seven—Three Years

*Hazel K. Addison	244	Watson C. MacCleary	123
*Earle W. Cousens	254	*Harriet A. McAdoo	296
*Dorothy S. Estabrook	193	*Chester S. Nickerson	236
*Delmont E. Goding	215	Elizabeth L. Remick	128
J. Lowell Goding	188	Peter A. Rossetti	135

John F. Gorham	105	*Gilbert Wheeler	292
Catherine R. Griffin	172	Blanks	848
*M. Edward Hayes	252		
Leslie C. Hitchings	156		
*Albion L. Hogan	222	Total	4059

Precinct Eight—Three Years

*John W. Allan	364	*Warren O. Sheldon	312
*A. Randall Bishop	342	*Harold A. Smiledge	327
*Harold W. Crozier	338	Irene M. Tyler	292
Walter R. Decareau	281	Stanley W. Tyler	302
*Henry P. Lewis	344	*Benjamin Vatcher	338
*John L. Martin	316	*George O. Walker	336
*Dean W. Means	392	Blanks	2655
*Oscar O. Nygaard	318		
John Picariello	222		
*Ruth P. Sheldon	333	Total	7812

Precinct Eight—One Year

*Ernest B. Swett	483		
Blanks	168	Total	651

Question

	Precinct								
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
*Yes	361	265	302	316	221	323	226	354	2368
No	222	135	118	130	86	116	140	159	1106
Blanks	160	152	139	112	133	179	85	138	1098
Total	743	552	559	558	440	618	451	651	4572

Signed: VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

March 6, 1946

Mrs. Viola G. Wilson
Town Clerk
Saugus, Mass.

Dear Mrs. Wilson:

I have today tendered my resignation to Laurence F. Davis, Esq., Town Moderator as the representative of Precinct Six on the Finance Committee, the same to take effect at his discretion.

Sincerely yours,
WILLIAM H. ROBINSON.

March 13, 1946.

Mrs. Viola G. Wilson
Town Clerk
Saugus, Mass.

Dear Mrs. Wilson:

This is to notify you that I have today reappointed Frank B. Newhall to the Finance Committee as the representative of Precinct One.

Very truly yours,
LAURENCE F. DAVIS,
Town Moderator.

March 9, 1946.

Mrs. Viola G. Wilson
Town Clerk
Saugus, Mass.

Dear Mrs. Wilson:

I am transmitting to you herewith the resignation of Mr. William H. Robinson, member of the Finance Committee representing Precinct Six.

You will note that his resignation is tendered to be effective at my discretion and I have written him that it is to be effective upon final adjournment of the annual town meeting.

Upon this resignation becoming effective as aforesaid, I shall fill the vacancy and will inform you of the appointment.

Very truly yours,

LAURENCE F. DAVIS,
Town Moderator.

A true copy.
Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

Annual Town Meeting

MARCH 13, 1946

The Annual Town Meeting was called to order at 8:00 P.M. on March 13, 1946.

There were 136 members present, constituting a quorum.

Rev. Charles McDuffee gave the invocation. The salute to the flag was given.

The reading of the records of the previous meeting was waived by unanimous consent.

Voted: That the Selectmen be appointed appraisers of town property.

The following tellers were appointed and sworn:

Mr. Charles DeFronzo	Mr. Arthur Gustafson
Mr. William Irby	Mr. Edward Thompson

ARTICLE 1. Voted: That the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be, and he hereby is, authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1946, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Section 17 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws and any amendments thereto. Yeas 132, Nays 0. 8:12 P.M.

ART. 2. Voted: That the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be, and he hereby in, authorized to borrow in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 49 of the Acts of 1933, and any amendments thereto, for the purpose of providing funds to meet ordinary maintenance expenses and revenue loans, such borrowing in no event to

exceed the amount of the tax titles held in excess of the amount owing to the Commonwealth for similar loans previously made. Yeas 143, Nays 0. 8:15 P.M.

ART. 3. Voted: That the Town accept Chapter 635 of the Acts of 1945, an act permitting the payment of vacation pay to employees in advance. Yeas 145, Nays 0. 8:15 P.M.

ART. 4. Voted to lay on the table. 8:15½ P.M.

ART. 5. Voted to amend Section 1 of Chapter 1 of the Building Ordinances by inserting the following sentence after the first sentence in said section: "The insulation of a structure or building otherwise than at the time of and as a part of its original construction shall be deemed an alteration within the meaning of this section." Yeas 111, Nays 16. 8:18 P.M.

ART. 6. Voted to indefinitely postpone. 8:21 P.M.

ART. 7. Voted to indefinitely postpone. 8:22 P.M.

ART. 8. Voted: That the Town accept Charlotte Road in accordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk. 8:25 P.M.

ART. 9. Voted to indefinitely postpone. 8:25½ P.M.

ART. 10. Voted to indefinitely postpone. 8:26 P.M.

ART. 11. Voted to indefinitely postpone. Yeas 89, Nays 57. 8:59 P.M

ART. 12. Voted to indefinitely postpone. 8:59½ P.M.

ART. 13. Voted that the Town accept Spencer Avenue in accordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk. 9:08 P.M.

Mr. John Bucchiere served notice of reconsideration of Article 11 at 9:08 P.M.

ART. 14. Voted that the Town accept Trull Circle in accordance with the plan and profile on file with Town Clerk. 9:10 P.M.

ART. 15. Voted to indefinitely postpone. 9:12 P.M.

Mr. Humphrey moved reconsideration of Art. 15. Motion on reconsideration was lost. 9:24 P.M.

ART. 16. Voted to indefinitely postpone. 9:25 P.M.

ART. 17. Voted to indefinitely postpone. 9:25½ P.M.

ART. 18. Voted that the Town accept Warren Street in accordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk. 9:26 P.M.

ART. 19. Voted to indefinitely postpone. 9:26½ P.M.

ART. 20. Voted: That the sum of $980.92 be and the same is hereby transferred from the Overlay Surplus Account to the following Overlay Accounts:

1932	$ 9.75	1939	28.70
1934	13.48	1940	14.81
1935	249.88	1941	19.48
1936	233.68	1942	10.60
1937	184.51	1940	194.58
1938	21.45		

9:28 P.M.

ART. 21. Voted: That the sum of $882.01 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the purpose of paying unpaid Trade School Tuition bills for the year 1945. Yeas 135, Nays 0. 9:30 P.M.

ART. 22. Voted: That the sum of $850.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for Mosquito Control Work under the provisions of Chapter 112, Acts of 1931, said sum to be spent under the direction of the Board of Selectmen. 9:31 P.M.

ART. 23. Voted: That the sum of $650.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the purpose of investigating and determining the validity of tax titles held by the Town, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Town Treasurer. 9:32 P.M.

ART. 24. Voted: That the sum of $3,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the payment of all expenses in connection with the foreclosure of tax titles held by the Town, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Town Treasurer. 9:37 P.M.

ART. 25. Voted: That the sum of $300.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the purpose of providing heat and light for the American Legion Building on Taylor Street, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen. 9:38 P.M.

ART. 26. Voted: That the sum of $500.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the purpose of renting suitable quarters for the Veterans of Foreign Wars, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen. 9:39 P.M.

ART. 27. Voted to lay on the table. 9:41 P.M.

ART. 28. Voted to indefinitely postpone. 9:42 P.M.

ART. 29. Voted to indefinitely postpone. 9:43 P.M.

ART. 30. Voted to lay on the table. 9:44 P.M.

ART. 31. Voted to indefinitely postpone. 9:44½ P.M.

ART. 32. Voted to indefinitely postpone. 9:45 P.M.

ART. 33. Voted to indefinitely postpone. 9:45½ P.M.

ART. 34. Voted: That the sum of $7500.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the purpose of installing new boiler and heating system in the Roby School, said sum to be expended under the direction of the School Committee. 9:47 P.M.

ART. 35. Voted to lay on the table. 9:53 P.M.

ART. 36. Voted to lay on the table. 9:53½ P.M.

ART. 37. Voted to lay on the table. 9:55 P.M.

ART. 38. Voted to indefinitely postpone. 10:15 P.M.

ART. 39. Voted to indefinitely postpone. 10:15½ P.M.

Voted to take Article 4 from the table.

ART. 4. Voted: That the Town accept a deed of a drainage easement from the Cliftondale Church of the Nazarene. 10:17 P.M.

ART. 40. Voted: That the sum of $700.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the purpose of the painting of, drainage of and protection of the Riverside Cemetery wall, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Cemetery Commissioners. 10:24 P.M.

ART. 41. Voted: That the sum of $3,000.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the purpose of filling and grading the Montgomery property, so-called, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Cemetery Commissioners. 10:30 P.M.

ART. 42. Voted: That the sum of six thousand dollars ($6,000.00) be and the same is hereby appropriated for the purpose of completing work on the veterans' lot at Riverside Cemetery. Said sum to be expended under the direction of the Cemetery Commissioners. 10:36 P.M.

Article 43 is pending.

There is a motion to indefinitely postpone before the meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:02 P.M., until the following Monday evening at 8 P.M.

A true copy.
Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

Adjourned Annual Town Meeting

MARCH 18, 1946

The meeting was called to order at 8 P.M. on March 18, 1946.

There was a quorum of 122 present.

The following tellers were appointed and sworn: William Irby, Edwin Thompson, Charles DeFronzo and Arthur Gustafson.

The salute to the flag was given.

The reading of the records of the previous meeting was waived by unanimous consent.

ARTICLE 43. Voted to indefinitely postpone. Yeas 119, Nays 57. 9:54 P.M.

ROLL CALL VOTE on Article 43.

Howard W. Bassett .....No
Walter D. Blossom
L. Elmer Day .....Yes
Stanley W. Day .....Yes
Ferdinand L. Fiske, Jr. .....No
Harold W. Humphrey .....Yes
Thomas D. Morse
Frank B. Newhall .....No
John L. Silver .....No
Elmer H. Watson .....Yes
Harry H. Calderwood .....Yes
Archie C. Cheever .....Yes
Charles C. DeFronzo .....No
George H. Durgin
Elmer R. Emmett
Henry A. McCullough
Welcome W. McCullough .....Yes
Henry L. McIntyre .....Yes
Henry A. B. Peckham .....Yes
W. Charles Sellick .....Yes
Clyde E. Allen
Pearl N. Belonga .....No
Frank E. Berthold .....Yes
Albert C. Day .....Yes
Lewis O. Gray .....Yes
Gordon C. Marr .....Yes
Ellery E. Metcalf .....Yes
Frederick L. Sawyer
Harry F. Wentworth .....Yes
Bertrand Westendarp
Kenneth J. Barnes .....Yes
James T. Como .....No
Albert J. Moylan .....Yes
John J. Sandilands .....No
Arthur F. Spinney .....No
Leon C. Young .....Yes
Alexander S. McCarrier .....Yes
Bartholomew L. Creedon .....Yes
Harold W. Anderson .....Yes
H. Warrent Butler .....Yes
Arthur Dearing .....No
Leroy C. Furbush
Walter I. Hanson
Charles M. O'Connor
George W. Reiniger
Joseph P. Rossetti
Harold I. Wilkinson .....Yes
Jesse H. Brown .....Yes
Earle N. Dudman
Daniel Flynn
Arthur E. Jackson .....Yes
Helen L. Meader .....Yes
Harold E. Parker
Russell R. Peterson .....No

Thomas F. Quinlan
Robert E. Thompson
Gordon H. Baker
Hubert B. Connolly .....No
Frank J. Drewniany .....Yes
Floyd Flower .....Yes
Alonzo D. Ireson, Jr. .....No
Cornelis J. McHugh
Ernest G. Mitchell .....Yes
Frank L. Perry .....Yes
George W. Pitman .....Yes
John E. Wood .....Yes
George M. Connell
Vernon W. Evans
Frank A. Green .....Yes
Milton E. French .....No
Paul F. Neal .....No
Mae G. Priest
Samuel E. Rice .....Yes
George E. Robinson .....Yes
Harold R. Searles .....Yes
Henry Seaver .....Yes
Arthur R. Armstrong .....No
Nels A. Bloom .....No
Mildred H. French
Anthony Grella .....No
Frederick J. C. Price, Jr. .....Yes
George F. Price .....Yes
Florence White
Maurice Woolf
Warren D. Lewis
Milton W. Chambers .....Yes
Wilmer H. Churchill .....Yes
William Irby .....Yes
Anna V. Jacobs .....Yes
John B. Leahy
Walter F. Neal .....Yes
Roy L. Smith .....Yes
Mabel C. Willey .....Yes
Virginia E. Woodward .....Yes
Gustave A. Anderson .....Yes
Edward Gibbs, Jr. .....Yes
Charles C. Holt .....Yes
Harry B. Lancaster .....Yes
Horace C. Ramsdell .....Yes
Harold P. Rice .....Yes
Waldo B. Russell .....Yes
James O. Smith .....Yes
Joseph A. White .....No
Mary F. Banks .....Yes
William C. Banks .....Yes
Newell C. Bartlett .....Yes
Paul Corson .....Yes
Margaret J. Daniels
John E. Marston
Roger C. Rice .....Yes
John A. Taylor
Alfred H. Woodward .....Yes
F. Dudley Bacon .....Yes
Joseph Bucherie .....No
Frank H. Chickering .....Yes
R. Alfred Delfugo .....Yes
Charles W. Donovan .....Yes
Hollis E. Hogle, Jr. .....Yes
Edwin M. Thompson .....Yes
Nathan H. Mallar .....Yes
Robert G. Ballard .....Yes
Roswell W. Abbott .....Yes
Francis W. Comey .....Yes
George B. Dixon .....No
E. Florence Evans
Clement C. Fearns
Chester P. Gibson .....Yes
Arthur L. Hawkes .....Yes
Howard W. Morse .....Yes
Willard Moses .....No
Walter F. Devitt
Richard Downes .....Yes
Stanley B. Harmon .....Yes
Herbert C. Heylmun
Levon Kasarjian
Louis H. Kelley
Richard Merrill
Otto F. Persson .....Yes
Thomas M. Robinson
Philip R. Albee
James W. Currier .....Yes
Robert D. Davis .....No
Harold P. Hutchins .....Yes
Charles C. James .....No
Davis J. Lucey .....No
Fred W. McKay .....No
Edward J. O'Neil .....No
Ralph H. Sweetser
John H. Worthley
Washington L. Bryer .....No
John J. Bucchiere .....No
Agnes B. Dodge .....No
Frank Evans, Jr.
Paul J. Hayes .....No
W. Ernest Light
Albion R. Rice .....No
Frank C. Rice
William H. Robinson .....Yes
Howard E. Shattuck .....Yes
Carl E. Chapman .....Yes
William A. Diamond .....No
Phyllis E. Dodge .....No
Edward M. Down .....No
George N. McKay .....No
Edward J. Oljey .....No
N. Jessie O'Neil .....No
Frank L. Platt .....Yes
Benjamin A. Ramsdell .....Yes
Melbourne MacLeod
Henry D. Orpin .....Yes
Ernest B. Swett
Viola G. Wilson .....No
C. Carroll Cunningham .....Yes
Edwin M. Holmes .....No
William S. Rockhill .....Yes
George McCarrier .....Yes
Hazel K. Addison

Earle W. Cousens .....Yes
Dorothy S. Estabrook .....Yes
Delmont E. Goding .....Yes
M. Edward Hayses .....No
Albion L. Hogan .....No
Harriett A. McAdoo .....Yes
Chester S. Nickerson .....No
Gilbert Wheeler .....Yes
Alexander S. Addison .....Yes
William Stewart Braid .....Yes
Napoleon B. Corthell .....Yes
Frederick J. England
Ernest M. Hatch .....No
Clarence S. Kenerson .....Yes
George H. Mason .....No
Charles B. McDuffee
Laurence E. Richardson .....Yes
Wallace C. Campbell
Raymond P. Clark .....Yes
Nathaniel Diamond .....No
May V. Gaylor
Samuel E. Gillespie .....No
Howard C. Heath .....Yes
John A. W. Pearce .....Yes
Lewis P. Sanborn
Harry A. White .....Yes
John W. Allan .....No
A. Randall Bishop .....Yes
Harold W. Crozier .....Yes
Henry P. Lewis .....Yes
John Lewis Martin .....Yes
Dean W. Means .....No
Oscar A. Nygaard .....Yes
Ruth P. Sheldon .....Yes
Warren O. Sheldon .....Yes
Harold A. Smiledge .....Yes
Benjamin Vatcher
George O. Walker .....Yes
James Blair .....Yes
Giles S. Bryer
Herman G. Bunker .....Yes
Gustaf E. Dahlen .....No
Susie A. Dahlen .....No
Laurence F. Davis .....No
Arthur E. Gustafson .....Yes
David W. Hanson .....Yes
Charles H. Popp .....No
Arthur W. Price
Ralph Quirk .....No
Frederick B. Willis .....Yes
Howard F. Berrett
Nellie G. Blair .....No
Ann L. Brown
Frank O. Gatchell
Arthur P. Hennessey
Joseph Oljev
Alfred W. Powers
Donald M. Walker .....No
Harold E. Dodge .....No
William S. Oliver .....Yes
Jack A. Meeker .....Yes
James A. Clark

ART. 44. Voted to indefinitely postpone. 9:54½ P.M.

ART. 45. Voted to authorize and instruct the Board of Selectmen to enter into a contract from year to year with the City of Lynn for a supply of water to the Town of Saugus at a price not to exceed fifty-three dollars and thirty-three cents ($53.33) per million gallons.

Yeas 172, Nays 1. 9:58 P.M.

ART. 46. Voted to indefinitely postpone. 9:59 P.M.

Voted to take Article 35 from the table.

ART. 35. Voted: That the Moderator appoint a committee to prepare plans and specifications for a Memorial Building or other memorial to the veterans of World War II. 10:15 P.M.

Voted to take Article 36 from the table.

ART. 36. Voted: That the sum of $2,000.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the purpose o preparing plans and specifications for a suitable memorial to the veterans of World War II, said sum to be expended under the direction of the committee appointed by the Moderator under Article 35. 10:16 P.M.

Voted to lay Article 47 on the table. 10:17 P.M.

ART. 47. Voted: That the sum of $4,000.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the purpose of paying land damages resulting from land takings on Hesper Street and Hamilton Avenue, in conjunction with Chapter 90 construction work, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen. Yeas 146, Nays 0. 10:31 P.M.

ART. 48. Voted: That the sum of $4,000.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the purpose of Chapter 90 Construction on Hesper Street and Hamilton Avenue, in continuation of the reconstruction of Woodbury Avenue and Hesper Street, said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State and County, or both, for this purpose, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen. 10:30 P.M.

ART. 49. Voted to indefinitely postpone. 10:32 P.M.

ART. 50. Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $2,000.00 for the improvement of Sweetwater Street, said sum of $2,000.00 to be spent in conjunction with $2,000.00 from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and $2,000.00 from the County of Essex under the provisions of Chapter 90 of the General Laws. 10:40 P.M.

ART. 51. Voted: That the Town vote to purchase or to take by right of eminent domain for highway purposes Lots 18, 19, 20 and 21 on Assessors' Plan 1053, said lots being on the easterly side of Golden Hills Road. Yeas 151, Nays 0. 10:44 P.M.

ART. 52. Voted: That the Town appropriate $100.00 for the carrying out of the provisions of Article 51. Unanimous. 10:45 P.M.

ART. 53. Voted to indefinitely postpone. 10:46 P.M.

Voted to adjourn at 10:55 P.M. and to meet next Monday evening at 8 P.M.

ART. 54. Voted to lay on the table. 10:47 P.M.

ART. 55. Voted: That the sum of $1,850.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the purpose of purchasing materials only for a surface drain on Centennial Avenue, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen. 10:48 P.M.

ART. 56. Voted: That the sum of $4,900.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the purpose of purchasing materials only for a surface drain on Lincoln Avenue, beginning at Atlantic Avenue and connecting with the present surface drain located at the junction of Lincoln Avenue and Guild Road, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen. 10:49 P.M.

ART. 57. Voted: That the sum of $1,980.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the purpose of purchasing materials only for a surface drain on Denver Street, beginning at Pinehurst Avenue and running to Central Street, thence running to Horton Street and connecting with the existing surface drain, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen. 10:50 P.M.

Article 58 is pending before the meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:55 P.M. until next Monday, March 25, 1946, at 8 P.M.

A true copy.

Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

Adjourned Annual Town Meeting

MARCH 25, 1946

The adjourned Annual Town Meeting was called to order at 8 P.M.

There were 122 members present, constituting a quorum.

The invocation was given by Rev. McDuffee.

The salute to the flag was given.

The reading of the records of the previous meeting was waived by unanimous consent.

ARTICLE 58. Motion to indefinitely postpone was lost.

Voted to lay on the table. 8:25 P.M.

Voted to take Article 54 from the table.

ART. 54. Voted: That the sum of $1.351.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for material only for the purpose of grading and surfacing Guild Road, the same to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen. Voted 8:30 P.M.

Voted to take Item 16a of Article 30 from the table.

ART. 30. Item 16A. Voted: That the sum of $12,450.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the purchase of the following equipment:

1 New Gasoline Roller	$6,000.00
1 New 3½ Ton 4 Wheel Drive Truck	6,000.00
1 New Automatic Sander	450.00
Total	$12,450.00

or in lieu thereof, for the acquisition of Federal Surplus Property in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 661 of the Acts of 1945. Unanimous vote. 8:37 P.M.

Voted to recess until after the Special Town Meeting of March 25, 1946. 8:37½ P.M.

The SPECIAL TOWN MEETING OF MARCH 25, 1946, was called to order at 8:35 P.M. There was a quorum of 137 present.

The reading of the warrant was dispensed with.

ARTICLE 1. Voted: That the sum of $2,000.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the continuance of Chapter 90 Construction on Central Street, said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, said moneys to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen. Unanimous. 8:42 P.M.

ART. 2. Voted: That the sum of $1.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for land damages resulting from land takings on Central Street, said land takings to be in conjunction with the Chapter 90 work for the improvement of Central Street, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen. Unanimous. 8:43 P.M.

ART. 3. Voted: That the sum of $5,000.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for a World War II Memorial on the High School grounds, the same to be expended under the direction of the World War II Memorial Committee as authorized under Article 4. 8:50 P.M.

Mr. Bucchiere moved reconsideration of Article 3. Motion was lost.

ART. 4. Voted: That the Moderator appoint a committee of five citizens to have full charge of erecting a World War II Memorial on the High School Grounds. 8:55 P.M.

Article 5 is pending.

Voted to adjourn the Special Town Meeting until 8 P.M. next Monday evening.

The Moderator called to order the adjourned Annual Town Meeting.

Voted to lay Article 30 on the table. 9:05 P.M.

ART. 59. Voted: That the sum of $950.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the purpose of purchasing materials only for a surface drain on Hayden Road to connect with the existing surface drain on Essex Street, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen. 9:07 P.M.

ART. 60. Voted to lay on the table. 9:24 P.M.

Voted to take Article 27 from the table.

ART. 27. Voted: That the sum of $1,250.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the purpose of purchasing one new automobile for the Health Department, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Board of Health. 9:30 P.M.

ART. 61. Voted to indefinitely postpone. 9:30½ P.M.

ART. 62. Voted to lay on the table. 9:31 P.M.

ART. 63. Voted that the sum of $800.00 be and the same hereby is appropriated for the purpose of laying 250 feet of water mains on Hawkes Street, the same to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen. 9:33 P.M.

ART. 64. Voted to indefinitely postpone. 9:35 P.M.

ART. 65. Voted to indefinitely postpone. 9:36 P.M.

ART. 66.

Notice of Hearing

The Planning Board will hold public hearings as listed below on the several Zoning Articles found in the Warrant of the 1946 Annual Town Meeting in the Town Hall on Wednesday, February 27, 1946, at 7:30 P.M. All listed petitions are to change the Zoning By-Law as shown.

Petition of Giles S. Bryer to change the zone classification of parts of Lots A151 and A168 of Assessors' Plans 2023 from general Assessors' Plan 2023 from general residence to business. Located on Central Street opposite Knowles Avenue.

Report of the Planning Board

After advertising in the Saugus Weekly Advertiser, issue of February 21, 1946, the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 66 in the Town Hall on February 27, 1946, and after discussion the Board recommends adoption of the article. By J. A. MEEKER, Chairman.

Voted: To amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by re-zoning for business purposes the property owned by Giles S. and Janie B. Bryer located at 432 and 434 Central Street, and adjacent to land owned by Cronin, Nelson and others, now zoned as general residence, and described as follows: beginning at a point on Central Street, thence

running southerly for a distance of 196.77 feet; thence turning and running Easterly 131.39 feet; thence turning and running Northerly in two courses, 86 feet and 173 feet; thence running Westerly 148 feet; the same being a part of Lot A168 and A151 as shown on Assessors' Plan 2023. Yeas 144, Nays 0. 9:44 P.M.

ART. 67.

Notice of Hearing

The Planning Board will hold public hearings as listed below on the several Zoning Articles found in the Warrant of the 1946 Annual Town Meeting in the Town Hall on Wednesday, February 27, 1946, at 7:30 P.M. All listed petitions are to change the Zoning By-Law as shown.

Petition of Henry A. Comack to change the zone classification of the whole of Lots A74, A75, A76, A77 and A93 of Assessors' Plan 2008 from single residence to business. Located on Lincoln Avenue and running from Western Avenue to Fairview Avenue.

Report of the Planning Board

After advertising in the Saugus Weekly Advertiser, issue of February 21, 1946, the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 67 in the Town Hall on February 27, 1946, and after discussion the Board recommends adoption of the article. By J. A. MEEKER, Chairman.

Voted: To amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by re-zoning for business purposes the entire block of properties situated on the Easterly side of Lincoln Avenue between Western Avenue and Fairview Avenue, now zoned for residential purposes, and described as follows: Beginning at the Northwesterly corner of Western Avenue and Lincoln Avenue the line runs Southerly along Lincoln Avenue 278.42 feet to Fairview Avenue; thence Easterly by Fairview Avenue 100 feet; thence Northerly 163 feet, more or less; thence Westerly 25 feet, more or less; thence Northerly 83 feet to Western Avenue; thence Westerly by Western Avenue 102.96 feet to the point of beginning, the same being the whole of Lots A74, A93, A75, A76 and A77 as shown on the Assessors' Plan 2008. Unanimous 9:46 P.M.

ART. 68.

Notice of Hearing

The Planning Board will hold public hearings as listed below on the several Zoning Articles found in the warrant of the 1946 Annual Town Meeting in the Town Hall on Wednesday, February 27, 1946, at 7:30 P.M. All listed petitions are to change the Zoning By-Law as shown.

Petition of Henry C. Seaver to change the zone classification of the whole of Lots A58 and A59 of Assessors' Plan 3010 from single residence to business. Located on Winter Street near Stocker Street.

Report of the Planning Board

After advertising in the Saugus Weekly Advertiser, issue of February 21, 1946, the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 68 in the Town Hall on February 27, 1946, and after discussion the Board recommends adoption of the article. By J. A. MEEKER, Chairman.

Voted: To amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by re-zoning for business purposes the following described land: Beginning at a point on the Northerly line of Winter Street, said point being 74.99 feet Westerly from Stocker Street; thence the line runs Westerly along Winter Street 230.26 feet; thence the line turns and runs Northerly along the land of the Town of Saugus 100 feet; thence the line turns and runs Easterly along land of the Town of Saugus a distance of 200.20 feet, thence the line turns and runs Southerly a distance of 110.93 feet, to point of beginning, the same being the whole of Lots A58 and A59 as shown on Assessors' Plan 3010. 9:47 P.M. Unanimous.

ART. 69.

Notice of Hearing

The Planning Board will hold public hearings as listed below on the several Zoning Articles found in the Warrant of the 1946 Annual Town Meeting in the Town Hall on Wednesday, February 27, 1946, at 7:30 P.M. All listed petitions are to change the Zoning By-Law as shown.

Petition of Bernard M. Riley to change the Zone classification of a part of Lot A-21 of Assessors' Plan 2030 from single residence to business. Located at 763 Broadway.

Report of the Planning Board

After advertising in the Saugus Weekly Advertiser, issue of February 21, 1946, the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 69 in the Town Hall on February 27, 1946, and after discussion the Board recommends adoption of the article. By J. A. MEEKER, Chairman.

Voted: To amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by re-zoning for business purposes the following described land: Beginning at a point on the Westerly side of Broadway, said point being 20 feet south from a stone bound which the the P. C. of a curve with a radius of 940.91 feet; thence the line runs Northerly along said Broadway a distance of 93 feet to the property line of Riley; thence turning and running Westerly along said property a distance of 100 feet; thence turning and running Southerly 93 feet; thence turning and running Easterly 100 feet to point of beginning; the same being a part of Lot A-21 as shown on the Assessors' Plan 2030. Unanimous. 9:49 P.M.

Mr. Bucchiere served notice to reconsider Article 67.

Voted to adjourn at 11 P.M. until 8:05 P.M. next Monday evening.

ART. 70.

Notice of Hearing

The Planning Board will hold public hearings as listed below on the several Zoning Articles found in the Warrant of the 1946 Annual Town Meeting in the Town Hall on Wednesday, February 27, 1946, at 7:30 P.M. All listed petitions are to change the Zoning By-Law as shown.

Petition of M. Edward Hayes to change the zone classifications of the whol eof Lot A of Assessors' Plan 2030 from single residence and business to industrial. Located at 821 Broadway.

Report of the Planning Board

After advertising in the Saugus Weekly Advertiser, issue of February 21, 1946, the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 70 in the Town Hall on February 27, 1946, and after discussion the Board recommends adoption of the article. By J. A. MEEKER, Chairman.

Voted: To amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by re-zoning for industrial purposes the property owned by the Trimount Bituminous Products Co., located at 821 Broadway, now zoned for single residence and business purposes, same now being non-conforming use, and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Westerly side of Broadway, said point being the stone bound marking the Town and County line between Saugus and Melrose; thence the line runs Northerly along said Broadway 1002.07 feet; thence turning and running Westerly a distance of 507.15 feet; thence turning and running Easterly a distance of 219.60 feet; thence turning and running Northerly a distance of 1062.17 feet; thence turning and running Westerly by a stone wall a distance of 441.05 feet; thence turning and running Southerly a distance of 904.72 feet; thence turning and running Westerly a distance of 239.50 feet; thence turning and running Northerly a distance of 68.62 feet; thence turning

and running Westerly a distance of 50.70 feet; thence turning and running Southerly by said Town and County line a distance of 1455.18 feet to the point of beginning: Containing 26.97 acres, the same being the whole of Lot A as shown on Assessors' Plan 2030.

Yeas 110, Nays 13. 10:54 P.M.

ART. 71.

Notice of Hearing

The Planning Board will hold public hearings as listed below on the several Zoning Articles found in the Warrant of the 1946 Annual Town Meeting in the Town Hall on Wednesday, February 27, 1946, at 7:30 P.M. All listed petitions are to change the Zoning By-Law as shown.

Petition of Delmont E. Goding to change the zone classification of the whole of Lot A-3 of Assessors' Plan 1048 from single residence and business to industrial. Located on Broadway at Prankers Pond.

Report of the Planning Board

After advertising in the Saugus Weekly Advertiser, issue of February 21, 1946, the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 71 in the Town Hall on February 27, 1946, and after discussion the Board recommends adoption of the article. By J. A. MEEKER, Chairman.

Voted: That the Town amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by re-zoning for industrial purposes the property owned by Michael DeStefano located at Broadway and adjacent to the land owned by Gerondelis, now zoned as single residence and business, and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Easterly side of Broadway, said point being the property line of Louis and Charles Gerondelis and Michael DeStefano; thence the line runs Easterly a distance of 555 feet to Prankers Pond; thence the line turns and runs Southerly by the shore of said pond about 1800 feet; thence the line turns and runs Westerly by several courses to Broadway a distance of 1000 feet; thence the line runs Northeasterly by said Broadway about 565 feet to point of beginning; the same being the whole of Lot A3 as shown on the Assessors' Plan 1048. Unanimous. 10:55 P.M.

ART. 72.

Notice of Hearing

The Planning Board will hold public hearings as listed below on the Several Zoning Articles found in the warrant of the 1946 Annual Town Meeting in the Town Hall on Wednesday, February 27, 1946, at 7:30 P.M. All listed petitions are to change the Zoning By-Law as shown.

Petition of Leo H. LeBlanc to change the zone classification of the whole of Lot A24 of Assessors Plan 1039 from single residence to business, located at Broadway and Spring Street.

Report of the Planning Board

After advertising in the Saugus Weekly Advertiser, issue of February 21, 1946, the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 72 in the Town Hall on February 27, 1946, and after discussion the Board recommends adoption of the Article. By J. A. MEEKER, Chairman.

Voted: To amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by re-zoning for business purposes the following described land: Beginning at a point on the Westerly line of Broadway, said point being at the intersection of the Northerly line of Spring Street, so-called; thence the line runs Northeasterly a distance of 180.13 feet; thence the line runs Northwesterly a distance of 67 feet; thence the line runs Northeasterly a distance of 86.80 feet; thence the line runs Southeasterly a distance of 75.85 feet; thence the line runs Southwesterly along Broadway a distance of 279.41 feet to

point of beginning; the same being the whole of Lot A-24 as shown on Assessors' Plan 1039. Unanimous. 10:56 P.M.

ART. 75. Voted to lay on the table. 10:57 P.M.

ART. 74.

Notice of Hearing

The Planning Board will hold public hearings as listed below on the several Zoning Articles found in the warrant of the 1946 Annual Town Meeting in the Town Hall on Wednesday, February 27, 1946, at 7:30 P.M. All listed petitions are to change the Zoning By-Law as shown.

Petition of Edward Flood to change the zone classification of the whole of Lots A32 and A37 of Assessors' Plan 1028 and 1029. Located on Broadway north of Main Street.

Report of the Planning Board

After advertising in the Saugus Weekly Advertiser, issue of February 21, 1946, the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 74 in the Town Hall on February 27, 1946, and after discussion the Board recommends adoption of the article. B. J. A. MEEKER, Chairman.

Voted: To amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by re-zoning for business purposes the following described land; beginning at a point on the Easterly line of Broadway at a monument marking the P. C. of a curve with a radius of 2740 feet on the State layout of 1936; thence the line runs along said Broadway a distance of 694.92 feet; thence turning and running Easterly 550.63 feet; thence turning and running Southerly a distance of 668.08 feet; thence turning and running Westerly by several courses 469.62 feet to the point of beginning, and containing about 7.50 acres; the same being the whole of Lots A32 and A37 as shown on the Assessors' Plan 1028 and 1029. Unanimous. 10:59 P.M.

The meeting was adjourned at 11 P.M. to convene again Monday, April 1, 1946, at 8:05 P.M.

A true copy.
Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

Adjourned Annual Town Meeting

and

Adjourned Special Town Meeting

of March 25

APRIL 1, 1946

The Special Town Meeting was called to order at 8:00 P.M.

Mr. Emmett was sworn in as a teller.

There was a quorum of 125 present.

The invocation was given by Rev. Charles McDuffee.

The salute to the flag was given.

The reading of the records of the previous meeting was waived by unanimous consent.

ARTICLE 5. Voted: That the Town accept Harlow Street in accordance with the plan and profile on file with the Town Clerk. 8:20 P.M.

The special town meeting was adjourned at 8:20½ P.M.

The Adjourned Annual Town Meeting was called to order at 8:21 P.M.

There was a quorum of 129 members present.

The reading of the records was waived.

ART. 76. Voted to lay on the table. 8:22 P.M.

ART. 76.

Notice of Hearing

Petition of T. A. Phillips to change the zone classification of the whole of Lot A59 of Assessors' Plan 2008 from single residence to business. Located on Lincoln Avenue between Lincoln Court and Western Avenue.

Report of the Planning Board

After advertising in the Saugus Weekly Advertiser, issue of February 21, 1946, the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 76 in the Town Hall on February 27, 1946, and after discussion the Board recommends adoption of the article. By J. A. MEEKER, Chairman.

Voted: To amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map so that the following described land shall be zoned for business purposes: Beginning at a point on the Easterly side of Lincoln Avenue, said point being 130.05 feet South from the intersection of the Southerly line of Lincoln Court and said Lincoln Avenue; thence the line runs Southeasterly 120.0 feet; thence the line turns and runs Southwesterly 37.1 feet to the property of Carter; thence the line turns and runs northwesterly a distance of 118.0 feet to Lincoln Avenue; thence the line turns and runs Northeasterly by said Lincoln Avenue a distance of 34.3 feet to point of beginning; the same being the whole of Lot A59 on Assessors' Plan 2008. Unanimous. 8:24 P.M.

ART. 77.

Notice of Hearing

Petition of Archibald M. Sweezey to change the zone classification of the whole of Lot A122 of Assessors' Plan 2001 from single residence (presently non-conforming use) to business. Located at 565 Lincoln Avenue.

Report of the Planning Board

After advertising in the Saugus Weekly Advertiser, issue of February 21, 1946, the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 77 in the Town Hall on February 27, 1946, and after discussion the Board recommends adoption of the Article. By J. A. MEEKER, Chairman.

Voted: To amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by re-zoning for business purposes the property owned by the Uno Ventilator Company located at 565 Lincoln Avenue and shown as Lot A-122 on Assessors' Plan 2001, now zoned as single residence (non-conforming) and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Westerly side of Lincoln Avenue, said point being 155 feet South from the intersection of the Southerly line of Linwood Street and said Lincoln Avenue; thence the line runs

Northwesterly a distance of 130 feet; thence the line turns and runs Southwesterly a distance of 37.50 feet; thence the line turns and runs Southeasterly a distance of 130 feet to Lincoln Avenue; thence the line runs by said Lincoln Avenue 37.50 feet to the point of beginning. Unanimous. 8:26 P.M.

ART. 78.

Notice of Hearing

Petition of George A. Eaton to change the zone classification of a part of Lot A144 of Assessors' Plan 1041 from single residence and business to business. Located on Broadway adjacent to land of one Beuregard.

Report of the Planning Board

After advertising in the Saugus Weekly Advertiser, issue of February 21, 1946, the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 78 in the Town Hall on February 27, 1946, and after discussion the Board recommends adoption of the article. By J. A. MEEKER, Chairman.

Voted: To amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by re-zoning for business purposes the property owned by Phillip and Julia Carbone located at and adjacent to land owned by Mabel I. Beauregard, now zoned as single residence and business, and described as follows; beginning at a point on the Easterly side of Broadway, said point being the property line of Mabel I. Beauregard and Phillip and Julia Carbone; thence the line runs Easterly 165 feet; thence the line turns and runs Northerly about 370 feet to Walden Avenue; thence the line runs by said Walden Avenue 49..5 feet; thence the line turns and runs Southeasterly 720 feet; thence the line turns and runs Southwesterly about 340 feet; thence the line runs northerly along Broadway 170 feet to the point of beginning; the same being a part of Lot A-144 as shown on the Assessors' Plan 1041. Unanimous. 8:28 P.M.

ART. 79. Voted to indefinitely postpone. 8:31 P.M.

ART. 80.

Notice of Hearing

Petition of Louis Ciampa to change the zone classification of the whole of Lots A186, A245, A247 of Assessors' Plan 3015, from single residence to business. Located on Bristow Street.

Report of the Planning Board

After advertising in the Saugus Weekly Advertiser, issue of February 21, 1946, the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 80 in the Town Hall on February 27, 1946, and after discussion the Board recommends adoption of the article. By J. A. MEEKER, Chairman.

Voted: To amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by re-zoning for business purposes the property owned by Louis A. and Caroline E. Ciampa located at 38 Bristow Street and adjacent to land owned by the Town of Saugus, now zoned as single residence, and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Westerly Side of Bristow Street, thence the line runs Westerly a distance of 100 feet to land of Cogliano; thence turning and running Northerly a distance of 200 feet to the land of the Town of Saugus; thence turning and running Easterly 100 feet to Bristow Street; thence turning and running Southerly by said Bristow Street, 200 feet to the point of beginning; the same being the whole of Lots A245, A247 and A186 as shown on Assessor's Plan 3015. Unanimous. 8:34 P.M.

ART. 81.

Notice of Hearing

Petition of James Nicolo to change the zone classification of the

whole of Lots A6, A7, 8-9-17-18-19-20 and A59 of Assessors' Plan 3022 from single residence to business. Located on Bristow Street and presumable marshland.

Report of the Planning Board

After advertising in the Saugus Weekly Advertiser, issue of February 21, 1946, the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 81 in the Town Hall on February 27, 1946, and after discussion the Board recommends adoption of the article. By J. A. MEEKER, Chairman.

Voted: To amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by re-zoning for business purposes Lot A-8 on Assessors' Plan 2035, and Lot A-59, and Lots 6-7-8-9-17-18-19 and 20 on Assessors' Plan 3022. Unanimous. 8:35 P.M.

Voted to take Article 73 from the table. Article 73 not voted.

Mr. Humphrey served notice to reconsider action taken under Article 79.

Voted to take Article 60 from the table.

ART. 60. Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $7,500 for the purpose of having the Saugus River dredged from Fox Hill Bridge in a Northerly direction for 1800 feet to provide a width of 110 feet and a depth of 8 feet at mean low tide, said sum to be expended only with a like sum to be provided by the City of Lynn and only with $15,000 to be provided by the State, the same to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen. Unanimous. 9:20 P.M.

Mr. Bucchiere served notice of reconsideration of action taken under Article 73.

Voted to take Article 62 from the table.

ART. 62. Voted: That the sum of $1,250.00 be and the same hereby is appropriated for the purpose of constructing a water main for a distance of 260 feet on Golden Hill Road and Jamaica Avenue, the same to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen. Unanimous. 9:25 P.M.

Voted to take Article 58 from the table.

Voted to indefinitely postpone Article 58. 9:33 P.M.

Voted to take Article 30 from the table. 9:50 P.M.

ART. 30.

Voted: That the following sums be and the same are hereby appropriated for the following departments:

Item 2.	Finance Committee	$ 450.00
3.	Planning Board	525.00
4.	Board of Appeals	200.00
5.	Selectmen's Department, including the following salaries of the Selectmen: $500.00 for the Chairman and $350.00 for each of the other members	2,500.00
6.	Accounting Department	6,800.00
8.	Registration of Town Notes	50.00
9.	Tax Collector's Department, including $2,950 for salary of the Collector. All fees, including tax title fees to be turned into the Town Treasury	10,500.00

10.	Tax Title Expense	500.00
12.	Law Department	1,800.00
13.	Town Clerk's Department, including $500.00 for salary of the Town Clerk, all fees except from State and County to be turned into the Town Treasury	1,350.00
14.	Election and Registration	7,350.00
15.	Town Hall	6,500.00
16.	Public Works—other expenses, excluding salaries and wages	2,700.00
17.	Engineering—other expenses, excluding salaries and wages	250.00
18.	Ashes and Refuse—other expenses, excluding salaries and wages	600.00
19.	Sewer Division—of which $4,500.00 shall be expended for sewer maintenance expenses excluding salaries and wages and $8,000.00 shall be expended for new construction including wages for labor only	12,500.00
20.	Highways and Bridges, to be expended as follows: $7,500 for highways and bridges maintenance only and excluding salaries and wages. $3,000 for materials to oil, sand and grade street. $7,000 for materials for highway surface treatment	17,500.00
21.	Street Lighting	17,500.00
24.	Water Purchase	17,500.00
25.	Water Maintenance—other expenses, excluding salaries and wages and including the sum of $1,400 for cleaning and treating the inside of the Baker Hill standpipe	7,500.00
26.	Water Extensions—other expenses, excluding salaries and wages and including the sum of $4,000 for the relaying of a 10-inch water main in lower Hesper Street and Hamilton Avenue in conjunction with the proposed Chapter 90 construction work on said streets	4,800.00
27.	Hydrants, Gates and Meters—materials only, including the sum of $1,400 for the purchase of new water meters and $2,000 for the purchase of water meter parts	3,700.00
28.	Water Services, materials only	1,700.00
29.	Public Works and Allied Divisions for salaries and wages only	73,045.00
31.	Fire and Police Building Maintenance	3,700.00
32.	Salary of Town Constable	100.00
33.	Fire Department, including $640 for the purchase of firemen's uniforms	52,400.00
34.	Fire Alarm Division	3,000.00
35.	Forest Fires	200.00
36.	Building Inspection Department	3,400.00
36A.	Town Building Repairs, to be expended under the Superintendent of Buildings as follows: $3,850 for Town Hall, including exterior paint-	

	ing, installing fire-escape with necessary doors, and interior painting and repairs. $1,150 for Town Infirmary buildings for roofing, painting and other repairs	5,000.00
37.	Sealer of Weights and Measures	1,500.00
38.	Gypsy Moth Department	8,100.00
39.	Tree Warden, including $144 for salary of the Tree Warden	1,750.00
40.	Public Safety Committee	75.00
41.	Health Department, including $450 for the salary of each member of the Board of Health	16,000.00
42.	Vital Statistics	60.00
43.	Removal of Garbage	6,000.00
44.	Old Age Assistance—Aid	70,000.00
45.	Ald Age Assistance—Administration	2,950.00
46.	Aid to Dependent Children—Aid	9,000.00
47.	Aid to Dependent Children—Administration	700.00
48.	Public Welfare—Temporary Aid Including $1,200 for the following salaries of the Board of Public Welfare: Chairman $450; Secretary $400; other member $350.	15,000.00
49.	Infirmary	5,100.00
50.	Soldiers' Relief	16,000.00
51.	State Aid, Military Aid and World War II Allowances	3,000.00
54.	Schoolhouse Repairs	10,000.00
55.	Trade School Tuition	3,000.00
56.	Stadium Maintenance	2,500.00
57.	Libraries Of which $9,711.35 is to be raised in the 1946 tax levy and $2,188.65 is hereby transferred from the "Reimbursement by County for Dog Licenses" fund.	11,900.00
59.	Departmental Pensions (non-contributory)	5,321.00
60.	Contributory Retirement System	7,700.00
61.	Judgments and Settlements	500.00
62.	Memorial Day Exercises	600.00
63.	Town Reports	1,400.00
64.	Insurance	10,000.00
66.	Cemeteries Of which $19,815.17 is to be raised in the 1946 tax levy; and $2,684.83 is hereby transferred from "Income from Perpetual Care Funds" Account.	22,500.00
67.	Relief Loan	1,000.00
68.	Fire and Police Station Loan	3,000.00
69.	Sewer Loans Of which $7,095.61 is to be raised in the 1946 tax levy, and $5,904.39 is hereby transferred from "Reserve for Payment of Sewer Loans" Account, and $5,000 is hereby transferred from the "Surplus War Bonus Fund."	18,000.00
70.	Interest on Relief Loan	67.50

71.	Interest on Fire and Police Station Loan.....	877.50
72.	Interest on Sewer Loans	10,065.00
73.	Interest on Temporary Loans	6,000.00
74.	Interest on Water Loans.....	1,650.00

ART. 30.

Voted: That the increased cost of living increase voted at the 1945 Annual Town Meeting and certified to the various departments by the Town Accountant shall remain in full force and effect until the next Annual Town Meeting of March, 1947.

The salaries of permanent employees, individually or collectively, of any department shall not be increased above such amount as was certified by the Town Accountant except as follows:

1. Increases due to the acceptance of the Teachers' Equal Pay Bill (so-called) and step-rate increases effective September 1, 1946, to teachers and janitors in the School Department.

2. Increases for promotions caused by vacancies in departments and step-rate increases subject to the rules and regulations of Civil Service or otherwise.

Salaries of new permanent employees who entered upon such employment on or since January 1, 1945, shall be construed to include the Increased Cost of Living increase and such new employees shall not receive further benefits hereunder only in accordance with the aforementioned exceptions.

Upon the several votes passed under Article 30 becoming effective the Town Accountant shall certify to all boards, committees, department heads and officers authorized to expend money, information regarding every new permanent employee under their jurisdiction as follows:

1. Amount of Permanent Salary.
2. Amount of Increased Cost of Living Increase.
3. Total amount of 1946 Compensation.

Unanimous. 9:55 P.M.

Voted to reconsider action on Items under Article 30.

The foregoing items under Article 30 and the motion following were voted the same as previously. 9:57 P.M.

Item 7. Voted: That the sum of $7,400 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the Treasury Department, including $1,000 for the salary of the Treasurer. 10:15 P.M.

Item 11. Voted: That the sum of $10,200 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the Assessors' Department, including $1,600 for the following salaries: $600 for the Chairman and $500 for each of the other members of the Board. 10:27 P.M.

Item 22. Voted: That the sum of $17,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated for Snow and Ice Removal. 10:29 P.M.

Item. 30. Voted: That the sum of $46,975 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the Police Department, including the purchase of one (1) new patrol car and including $600 for the purchase of Police Uniforms. 10:41 P.M.

Item 53. Voted: That the sum of $300,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated for Schools. 10:43 P.M.

Item 58. Voted: That the su mof $3,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated for Playgrounds. Yeas 70, Nays 44. 10:46 P.M.

Item 65. Voted: That the sum of $6,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated for Reserve Fund. 10:55 P.M.

Voted to take Article 37 from the table.

ART. 37. Voted: That the sum of $4,000 be and the same hereby is appropriated to be expended in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 1946, to properly celebrate the return of men and women who served in or were affiliated or associated with the Armed Forces of the United States in World War II, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen. 11:06 P.M.

Voted to take Article 75 from the table.

ART. 75.

Notice of Hearing

Petition of Delmont E. Goding to change the zone classification of the whole of Lot A16 of Assessors' Plan 1029 from single residence to business. Located at or near 510 Broadway.

Report of the Planning Board

After advertising in the Saugus Weekly Advertiser, issue of February 21, 1946, the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 75 in the Town Hall on February 27, 1946, and after discussion the Board recommends adoption of the article. By J. A. MEEKER, Chairman.

Voted: To amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map so that the property shown as Lot A-16 on Assessors' Plan 1029 may be zoned for business. 11:08 P.M.

The meeting was adjourned without delay at 11:08 P.M.

A true copy.
Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

Warrant for the Special Town Meeting

MAY 6, 1946

ESSEX, ss.

To W. Charles Sellick, Constable of the Town of Saugus

GREETINGS:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Saugus, qualified to vote in Town Elections and Town Affairs, to assemble in the TOWN HALL on MONDAY EVENING, MAY SIXTH, Nineteen Hundred and Forty-six, at 8:00 o'clock, to hear and act on the following articles, viz:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by striking out Section 7 and inserting in place thereof the following section:

> "SECTION 7. INDUSTRIAL DISTRICTS. In industrial districts buildings and land may be used for any purpose permitted under Sections 4, 5 and 6 subject to Section 16. It may be used for any other purpose subject to the provisions of Sections 16 and 17.

Notwithstanding the provisions of this section or of Section 17, no use shall be permitted which would be offensive because of injurious or obnoxious noise, vibration, smoke, gas, fumes, odors, dust or other objectionable features or be hazardous to the community on account of fire or explosion or any other cause. No permit shall be granted under this or any other section for any use which would prove injurious to the safety or welfare of the neighborhood into which it proposes to go, and destructive of property value, because of any excessive nuisance qualities.

In granting permits under this section the nature of the neighborhood and the nature of the proposed industry shall be considered and the effects of the industry on the neighborhood shall be carefully weighed. If the industry would in any way injure the neighborhood a permit shall be refused. Where a permit is granted all conditions which will protect the neighborhood shall be imposed and made a part of the permit."

or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Planning Board.

Art. 2. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by striking out the words "for sale" in the first line of Section 17A as most recently amended, so that said Section 17A will **read as follows:**

"SECTION 17A. The removal of sod, loam, sand, gravel or stone from a single or general residence, business or industrial districts shall be deemed non-conforming use of premises. Such uses shall be permitted only after special permission of the Selectmen as provided in Section 17, and under such conditions as the Selectmen shall impose. The Selectmen shall grant no such permit as would, in their opinion, adversely affect the scheme of growth laid down in the Zoning By-Laws or elsewhere, or the economic status of the Town, or tend to impair the beauty of the Town or of the district most immediately affected, or develop health or other hazards. Conditions deemed by the Selectmen as tending to protect the Town and the district, shall be imposed where needed and made a part of the permit.

"No permit for the excavation or removal of material shall be granted by the Selectmen for a period of more than seven days from date of issue, but may be extended for additional seven-day periods at the discretion of the Selectmen. A permit issued by the Selectmen shall only be issued to an owner of record and shall not be transferrable."

or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Planning Board.

Art. 3. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws by establishing a minimum lot area of fifty-five hundred (5500) square feet for Lots A-11, 12, 19, 20, 21, 24, 26 and 31 on Assessors' Plan 1036, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Planning Board.

Art. 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell Town-owned land in East Saugus at the site of the old American Legion Hall on Lincoln Avenue, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 5. To see if the Town will vote to accept a deed of land for highway purposes from Stanley Anderson and located on the westerly corner of Birch Street and Lincoln Avenue, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Art. 6. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by re-zoning for business purposes the property owned by Edward J. Cudihy, Raymond L. Hefferman and Arabel M. Sheaff located at 334, 336, 338 and 340 Lincoln Avenue, now zoned as single residence and described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of Easterly line of Sunnyside Park and the Southerly line of Lincoln Avenue, thence Easterly along said Lincoln Avenue, one hundred sixty (160) feet to land of Connolly; thence the line turns and runs Southerly along said property line one hundred ten (110) feet; thence the line turns and runs Westerly forty (40) feet; thence the line turns and runs Northerly along said property line of Nelson thirty (30) feet; thence the line turns and runs Westerly one hundred twenty (120) feet to Sunnyside Park; thence the line turns and runs Northerly eighty (80) feet to point of beginning; the same being the whole of Lots A-4, 5, 6 and 7 as shown on Assessors' Plan 2014, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of Delmont Goding and others.

Art. 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of and sufficient to cover a 15% permanent increase in salary for all permanent employees, said increase to include the "10% and not exceeding $200.00 Temporary Increased Cost of Living" increase previously voted at the 1946 Annual Town Meeting, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen, School Committee, Board of Assessors, Board of Health, Cemetery Commissioners, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk and Tax Collector, and the Board of Public Welfare.

Art. 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing new road machinery and equipment for the Public Works Department, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

You are hereby directed to serve this WARRANT by posting attested copies thereof at the usual places seven days, at least, before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof, fail not, and make due return of this WARRANT, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands and Town Seal this Eighteenth day of April, A.D. Nineteen Hundred and Forty-six.

(Seal)

WILLIAM S. OLIVER,
C. CARROLL CUNNINGHAM,
WILLIAM H. ROBINSON,
Board of Selectmen.

A true copy.

Attest:

W. CHARLES SELLICK,
Constable.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

ESSEX, ss. April 29, 1946.

Pursuant hereunto I have served the within Warrant as directed

by posting attested copies at the several precincts at least seven days before said meeting according to the By-Laws.

A true copy.
Attest:

W. CHARLES SELLICK,
Constable.

April 29, 1946.

In compliance with Chapter 55 of the Acts of 1928 and also with Section 2 of the By-Laws of the Town of Saugus, I hereby certify that today I mailed to all Limited Town Meeting Members a printed copy of the Warrant for the Special Town Meeting of May 6, 1946.

Signed:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

Special Town Meeting

MAY 6, 1946

The Special Town Meeting was called to order at 8 P.M.

Elmer Emmett, Charles DeFronzo, Arthur Gustafson and Robert Thompson were appointed tellers.

There were 76 members present, not a quorum.

It was voted to adjourn until May 20, 1946, at 8 P.M.

A true copy.
Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

Adjourned Special Town Meeting

MAY 20, 1946

The meeting was called to order at 8 P.M.

There were 32 members present, not a quorum.

Voted to adjourn until March 12, 1947.

A true copy.
Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

May 20, 1946.

Town Clerk
Town Hall
Saugus, Mass.

Dear Mrs. Wilson:

The Board of Selectmen and Planning Board sitting as a Committee of one have this date unanimously elected Mr. Edward E. Berrett to fill

the vacancy on the Planning Board caused by the resignation of William H. Robinson.

Very truly yours,

JAMES OTIS SMITH,
Clerk.

April 29, 1946.

Mrs. Viola G. Wilson
Town Clerk
Saugus, Mass.

Dear Mrs. Wilson:

I herewith tender my resignation as a member of the Planning Board in order to more fully concentrate my efforts as a member of the Board of Selectmen.

Sincerely yours,

WILLIAM H. ROBINSON.

April 30, 1946.

Town Clerk
Town Hall
Saugus, Mass.

Dear Mrs. Wilson:

I hereby tender my resignation as a member of the Finance Committee representing Precinct Eight as of today.

Respectfully yours,

ARTHUR W. PRICE.

April 30, 1946.

Mrs. Viola G. Wilson
Town Clerk

Dear Mrs. Wilson:

I have today appointed the following citizens to serve as the World War II Memorial Committee (Honor Roll) authorized by the recent Annual Town Meeting:

Dr. John Silver of 35 Main Street
David A. Craig of 29 Jackson Street
Melbourne MacLeod of 30 Westland Avenue
Walter Wetmore, Jr. of 74 Main Street, and
Warren B. Lewis of 73 Lincoln Avenue.

I have notified each member of the committee of his appointment, have requested that each appear before you to take their oath of office and have designated Dr. Silver as Temporary Chairman of the committee for the purposes of its organization.

Very truly yours,

LAURENCE F. DAVIS,
Town Moderator.

A true copy.
Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

June 6, 1946.

Mrs. Viola G. Wilson
Town Clerk
Saugus, Mass.

Dear Mrs. Wilson:

This is to notify you that I have today appointed to the Finance Committee Mr. John J. Bucchiere of 254 Lincoln Avenue as the representative of Precinct Six and Mr. Ralph Quirk of 35 Pearson Street as the representative of Precinct Eight.

I have requested each of them to call at your office at their early convenience to take their oath of office.

Very truly yours,

LAURENCE F. DAVIS,
Town Moderator.

A true copy.
Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

ESSEX, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Saugus,

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the several voting precincts

TUESDAY, THE EIGHTEENTH DAY OF JUNE, 1946
at 12:00 o'clock M., for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

GOVERNOR for this Commonwealth
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR for this Commonwealth
SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH for this Commonwealth
TREASURER AND RECEIVER-GENERAL for this Commonwealth
AUDITOR OF THE COMMONWEALTH for this Commonwealth
ATTORNEY GENERAL for this Commonwealth
SENATOR IN CONGRESS for this Commonwealth
REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS for Eighth Congressional District
COUNCILLOR for Fifth Councillor District
SENATOR for Third Essex Senatorial District
TWO REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT for Tenth Essex Representative District
DISTRICT ATTORNEY for Eastern District
CLERK OF COURTS for Essex County
REGISTER OF DEEDS for Essex South District
COUNTY COMMISSIONER for Essex County

VACANCIES

In Essex County; a Register of Probate and Insolvency

In Essex County; a County Treasurer

The polls will be open from 12:00 M. to 8:00 P.M.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-seventh day of May, A.D. 1946.

WILLIAM S. OLIVER,
WILLIAM H. ROBINSON,
C. CARROLL CUNNINGHAM,
Selectmen of Saugus.

A true copy.
Attest:

W. CHARLES SELLICK, Constable.

June 5, 1946.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

June 5, 1946.

Essex, ss.

Pursuant hereunto I have served the within Warrant as directed by posting attested copies at the several precincts at least seven days before said meeting according to the by-laws.

W. CHARLES SELLICK,
Constable.

A true copy.
Attest:

Primary Election

JUNE 18, 1946

REPUBLICAN

GOVERNOR

	Precinct 1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
Robert F. Bradford ..	183	91	167	115	72	104	103	125	960
Blanks	41	16	47	21	20	23	12	26	206
Total	224	107	214	136	92	127	115	151	1166

LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR

Albert Cole	114	55	134	63	52	78	50	94	640
Arthur W. Coolidge ..	105	48	69	68	30	44	63	51	478
Blanks	5	4	11	5	10	5	2	6	48
Total	224	107	214	136	92	127	115	151	1166

SECRETARY

Frederic W. Cook	189	94	179	120	72	110	105	133	1002
Blanks	35	13	35	16	20	17	10	18	164
Total	224	107	214	136	92	127	115	151	1166

TREASURER

Fred J. Burrell	71	37	77	49	38	54	43	55	424
Laurence Curtis	131	55	100	72	37	53	63	83	594
Blanks	22	15	37	13	17	20	9	13	148
Total	224	107	214	136	92	127	115	151	1166

AUDITOR

Wallace E. Stearns	58	32	55	35	26	33	28	50	317
Russell A. Wood	122	58	108	81	47	66	70	80	632
Blanks	44	17	51	20	19	28	17	21	217
Total	224	107	214	136	92	127	115	151	1166

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Clarence A. Barnes	188	94	167	121	72	109	104	132	987
Blanks	36	13	47	15	20	18	11	19	179
Total	224	107	214	136	92	127	115	151	1166

SENATOR IN CONGRESS

Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr.	205	100	178	123	83	116	109	137	1051
Blanks	19	7	36	13	9	11	6	14	115
Total	224	107	214	136	92	127	115	151	1166

CONGRESSMAN

Angier L. Goodwin	184	86	159	105	72	105	100	125	936
Blanks	40	21	55	31	20	22	15	26	230
Total	224	107	214	136	92	127	115	151	1166

COUNCILLOR

David D. Black	54	30	48	29	32	38	28	39	298
Louis J. Dempsey	6	1	3	2	3	3	5	4	27
Joseph L. Dupont	28	9	37	17	20	25	19	24	179
Alfred C. Gaunt	92	45	78	55	19	40	46	43	418
John M. Kelleher	19	8	10	16	3	3	6	15	80
Blanks	25	14	38	17	15	18	11	26	164
Total	224	103	214	136	92	127	115	151	1166

SENATOR

Cornelius F. Haley	32	20	32	23	12	14	30	27	190
John Willis White	179	83	160	101	69	102	82	111	887
Blanks	13	4	22	12	11	11	3	13	89
Total	224	107	214	136	92	127	115	151	1166

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT

Fred A. Hutchinson	167	74	128	94	58	79	90	81	771
Frederick Bancroft Willis	180	94	198	118	76	105	101	135	1007
James W. Santerre	20	7	15	7	6	12	8	20	95
William E. Sexton	22	12	14	14	12	15	8	18	115
Blanks	59	27	73	39	32	43	23	48	344
Total	448	214	428	272	184	254	230	302	2332

DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Hugh A. Cregg	195	93	168	111	76	107	104	134	988
Blanks	29	14	46	25	16	20	11	17	178
Total	224	107	214	136	92	127	115	151	1166

CLERK OF COURTS

Archie N. Frost	94	40	92	53	46	54	55	64	498
Harold L. Armstrong	26	20	45	23	6	15	19	33	187
J. Frank Hughes	56	32	42	44	22	40	35	38	309
Blanks	48	15	35	18	18	18	6	16	172
Total	224	107	214	136	92	127	115	151	1166

REGISTER OF DEEDS

A. Franklin Priest	181	90	167	113	71	101	103	125	951
Blanks	43	17	47	23	21	26	12	26	215
Total	224	107	214	136	92	127	115	151	1166

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

Albert William Glynn	19	6	13	8	10	9	14	11	90
William Henry Haskell	59	42	85	45	37	42	32	58	400
Walter B. Morse	81	42	50	48	31	49	46	40	397
George B. Sellars	2	3	2	6	1	1	2	4	21
Arthur A. Thompson	34	10	33	15	7	16	17	19	153
Blanks	29	4	29	14	6	10	4	9	105
Total	224	107	214	136	92	127	115	151	1166

REGISTER OF PROBATE AND INSOLVENCY

Edward A. Coffey	49	17	34	37	15	22	23	28	225
Charles F. McGee	11	5	14	11	2	7	7	18	75
Richard J. White, Jr.	124	71	127	72	58	81	74	89	696
Blanks	40	14	39	16	17	17	11	16	170
Total	224	107	214	136	92	127	115	151	1166

COUNTY TREASURER

James D. Bneley	111	53	100	66	32	48	58	62	530
William F. Desmond	78	42	82	57	49	65	50	74	497
Blanks	35	12	32	13	11	14	7	15	139
Total	224	107	214	136	92	127	115	151	1166

DEMOCRATIC

GOVERNOR

	Precinct								
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
Maurice J. Tobin	17	7	20	13	7	24	8	15	111
Francis D. Harrigan	1	2	3	0	3	4	2	2	17
Blanks	3	1	6	1	0	5	0	0	16
Total	21	10	29	14	10	33	10	17	144

LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR

John B. Carr	1	1	4	0	1	3	7	0	17
Paul A. Dever	10	4	14	12	6	19	2	12	70
Daniel J. O'Connell	0	1	1	0	2	2	1	1	8
Roger L. Putnam	9	4	8	2	1	6	0	4	34
Blanks	1	0	2	0	0	3	0	0	6
Total	21	10	29	14	10	33	10	17	144

SECRETARY

John J. Concannon	5	1	4	0	3	5	4	4	26
Benedict J. Fitzgerald, Jr.	7	5	8	6	7	16	4	8	61
Leo Moran	4	0	3	2	0	1	1	1	12
Paul H. Snow	1	2	5	5	0	4	0	1	18
Blanks	4	2	9	1	0	7	1	3	27
Total	21	10	29	14	10	33	10	17	144

TREASURER

John E. Hurley	19	8	18	9	8	25	9	15	111
Thomas Khoury	1	1	5	2	2	3	0	2	16
Blanks	1	1	6	3	0	5	1	0	17
Total	21	10	29	14	10	33	10	17	144

AUDITOR

Thomas J. Buckley	20	6	21	10	9	26	9	17	118
Blanks	1	4	8	4	1	7	1	0	26
Total	21	10	29	14	10	36	10	17	144

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Harry E. Casey	0	0	4	0	2	1	1	2	10
Michael F. Hourihan	0	1	2	3	2	4	0	1	13
Edward A. Hutchinson, Jr.	2	1	5	3	1	6	1	2	21
Francis E. Kelly	9	6	9	4	4	13	4	10	59
Joseph M. McDonough	9	2	3	3	1	8	3	0	29
Blanks	1	0	6	1	0	1	1	2	12
Total	21	10	29	14	10	33	10	17	144

SENATOR IN CONGRESS

David I. Walsh	19	8	18	10	6	26	7	16	110
Blanks	2	2	11	4	4	7	3	1	34
Total	21	10	29	14	10	33	10	17	144

CONGRESSMAN

Anthony M. Roche	11	4	7	4	3	9	6	5	49
James W. Stanton	7	5	12	8	7	17	4	7	67
Blanks	3	1	10	2	0	7	0	5	28
Total	21	10	29	14	10	33	10	17	144

COUNCILLOR

Robert V. O'Sullivan	19	5	17	10	8	22	7	13	101
Blanks	2	5	12	4	2	11	3	4	43
Total	21	10	29	14	10	33	10	17	144

SENATOR

Tony A. Garofano	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1
Gerald Manson Ford	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	1
Blanks	20	10	29	14	10	32	10	17	142
Total	21	10	29	14	10	33	10	17	144

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT

Willis	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	3	3
Blanks	42	20	58	28	20	66	20	31	285
Total	42	20	58	28	20	66	20	34	288

DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Hugh A. Cregg	19	7	17	10	8	23	0	13	97
Blanks	2	3	12	4	2	10	10	4	37
Total	21	10	29	14	10	33	10	17	144

CLERK OF COURTS

Archie N. Frost	10	3	9	9	3	9	7	9	59
Harold L. Armstrong	8	3	7	2	7	15	2	4	48
Blanks	3	4	13	3	0	9	1	4	37
Total	21	10	29	14	10	33	10	17	144

REGISTER OF DEEDS

A. Franklin Priest	9	4	5	3	2	8	3	6	40
Thomas F. Duffy	10	4	14	9	8	18	6	10	79
Blanks	2	2	10	2	0	7	1	1	25
Total	21	10	29	14	10	33	10	17	144

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

Edward J. Grimley	9	2	8	5	6	13	2	8	53
William J. O'Leary	8	5	13	4	4	10	7	6	57
George B. Sellars	2	0	1	2	0	2	0	1	8
Blanks	2	3	7	3	0	8	1	2	26
Total	21	10	29	14	10	33	10	17	144

REGISTER OF PROBATE AND INSOLVENCY

John James Costello	6	0	2	2	0	2	1	5	18
Cornelius P. Donovan	6	6	8	2	4	12	6	4	47
David N. Roach	9	3	12	7	5	13	3	6	60
Blanks	0	2	5	3	1	6	0	2	19
Total	21	10	29	14	10	33	10	17	144

COUNTY TREASURER

John M. Bresnahan ..	12	5	15	8	2	15	5	11	73
William G. Hennessey	8	4	8	3	7	12	4	2	48
Blanks	1	1	6	3	1	6	1	4	23
Total	21	10	29	14	10	33	10	17	144

A true copy.
Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

TOWN OF SAUGUS

ESSEX, ss.

To W. Charles Sellick, Constable of the Town of Saugus

Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Saugus, qualified to vote in Town Elections and Town Affairs, to assemble in the Town Hall on MONDAY EVENING, JUNE TWENTY-FOURTH, Nineteen Hundred and Forty-six, at 8:00 o'clock, P.M., to hear and act on the following articles, viz:

ARTICLE 1. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from any available funds for the purpose of paying wages and other expenses incurred for the removal of debris and damaged shade trees and the necessary repairs to damaged sidewalks and highways occasioned by the storm of June 8, 1946, for which an emergency was duly declared, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

ART. 2. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from any available funds for the purpose of repairing the damages done to the Armitage School Building and its contents occasioned by the storm of June 8, 1946, for which an emergency was duly declared, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the School Committee.

ART. 3. To see if the Town will vote to take by eminent domain, purchase or gift, land in North Saugus for the erection of a standpipe, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

ART. 4. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money to provide funds for carrying out Article 3, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

ART. 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell Town-owned land in East Saugus at the site of the Old American Legion Hall on Lincoln Avenue, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

ART. 6. To see if the Town will vote to accept a deed of two hundred twenty square feet, more or less, of land at the corner of Lincoln Avenue and Birch Street for highway purposes, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

You are hereby directed to serve this WARRANT by posting attested copies thereof at the usual places seven days, at least, before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof, fail not, and make due return of this WARRANT, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands and Town Seal this Tenth Day of June, A.D. Nineteen Hundred and Forty-six.

(Seal)

WILLIAM S. OLIVER,
C. CARROLL CUNNINGHAM,
WILLIAM H. ROBINSON,
Board of Selectmen.

A true copy.
Attest:
W. CHARLES SELLICK, Constable.

TOWN OF SAUGUS, MASSACHUSETTS

Office of
TOWN CLERK
Town Hall

April 4, 1946.

To Whom It May Concern:

This is to certify that the following is a true copy of the voted motion under Article 5 of the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting of 1946, passed on March 13, 1946:

"ARTICLE 5.

Voted to amend Section 1 of Chapter 1 of the Building Ordinances by inserting the following sentence after the first sentence in said section: 'The insulation of a structure or building otherwise than at the time of and as a part of its original construction shall be deemed an alteration within the meaning of this section.'

Yeas 111, Nays 16. 8:18 P.M."

A true copy.
Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

Boston, Mass., May 28, 1946.

The foregoing amendment to building ordinance is hereby approved.

CLARENCE A. BARNES,
Attorney General.

TOWN OF SAUGUS, MASSACHUSETTS

Office of
TOWN CLERK
Town Hall

April 4, 1946.

To Whom It May Concern:

This is to certify that the following is a true copy of the voted motion on Article 66 of the Annual Town Meeting Warrant of March 13, 1946, passed at the adjourned session held March 25, 1946:

"ARTICLE 66.

Notice of Hearing

The Planning Board will hold public hearings as listed below on the several Zoning Articles found in the Warrant of the 1946 Annual Town Meeting in the Town Hall on Wednesday, February 27, 1946, at 7:30 P.M. All listed petitions are to change the Zoning By-Laws as shown. Petition of Giles S. Bryer to change the zone classification of parts of Lots A151 and A168 of Assessors' Plan 2023 from general residence to business. Located on Central Street opposite Knowles Avenue.

Report of the Planning Board

After advertising in the Saugus Weekly Advertiser, issue of February 21, 1946, the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 66 in the Town Hall on February 27, 1946, and after discussion the Board recommends adoption of the article. By J. A. MEEKER, Chairman.

Voted: To amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by re-zoning for business purposes the property owned by Giles S. and Janie B. Bryer located at 432 and 434 Central Street, and adjacent to land owned by Cronin, Nelson and others, now zoned as general residence, and described as follows: Beginning at a point on Central Street, thence running Southerly for a distance of 196.77 feet; thence turning and running Easterly 131.39 feet; thence turning and running Northerly in two courses, 86 feet and 173 feet; thence running Westerly 148 feet; the same being a part of Lot A168 and A151 as shown on Assessors' Plan 2023.

Yeas 144, Nays 0. 9:44 P.M."

A true copy.
Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

Boston, Mass., May 28, 1946.

The foregoing amendment to zoning by-laws is hereby approved.

CLARENCE A. BARNES,
Attorney General.

TOWN OF SAUGUS, MASSACHUSETTS

Office of
TOWN CLERK
Town Hall

April 4, 1946.

To Whom It May Concern:

This is to certify that the following is a true copy of the voted motion on Article 67 of the Annual Town Meeting Warrant of March 13, 1946, passed at the adjourned session held March 25, 1946:

"ARTICLE 67.

Notice of Hearing

The Planning Board will hold public hearings as listed below on the several Zoning Articles found in the Warrant of the 1946 Annual Town Meeting at the Town Hall on Wednesday, February 27, 1946, at 7:30 P.M. All listed petitions are to change the Zoning By-Law as shown. Petition of Henry A. Comack to change the zone classification of the whole of Lots A74, A75, A76, A77 and A93 of Assessors' Plan 2008 from single residence to business. Located on Lincoln Avenue and running from Western Avenue to Fairview Avenue.

Report of the Planning Board

After advertising in the Saugus Weekly Advertiser, issue of February 21, 1946, the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 67 in the Town Hall on February 27, 1946, and after discussion the Board recommends adoption of the article. By J. A. MEEKER, Chairman.

Voted: To amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by re-zoning for business purposes the entire block of properties situated on the Easterly side of Lincoln Avenue between Western Avenue and Fairview Avenue, now zoned for residential purposes, and described as follows: Beginning at the Northwesterly corner of Western Avenue and Lincoln Avenue the line runs Southerly along Lincoln Avenue 278.42 feet to Fairview Avenue; thence Easterly by Fairview Avenue 100 feet; thence Northerly 163 feet, more or less; thence Westerly 25 feet, more or less; thence Northerly 83 feet to Western Avenue; thence Westerly by Western Avenue 102.96 feet to the point of beginning, the same being the whole of Lots A74, A93, A75, A76 and A77 as shown on the Assessors' Plan 2008. Unanimous. 9:46 P.M."

A true copy.
Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

Boston, Mass., May 28, 1946.

The foregoing amendment to zoning by-laws is hereby approved.

CLARENCE A. BARNES,
Attorney General.

TOWN OF SAUGUS, MASSACHUSETTS

Office of
TOWN CLERK
Town Hall

April 4, 1946.

To Whom It May Concern:

This is to certify that the following is a true copy of the voted motion on Article 68 of the Annual Town Meeting Warrant of March 13, 1946, passed at the adjourned session held March 25, 1946:

"ARTICLE 68.

Notice of Hearing

The Planning Board will hold public hearings as listed below on the several Zoning Articles found in the Warrant of the 1946 Annual Town Meeting in the Town Hall on Wednesday, February 27, 1946, at 7:30 P.M. All listed petitions are to change the Zoning By-Laws as shown. Petition of Henry C. Seaver to change the zone classification of the whole of Lots A58 and A59 of Assessors' Plan 3010 from single residence to business. Located on Winter Street near Stocker Street.

Report of the Planning Board

After advertising in the Saugus Weekly Advertiser, issue of February 21, 1946, the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 68 in the Town Hall on February 27, 1946, and after discussion the Board recommends adoption of the article. By J. A. MEEKER, Chairman.

Voted: To amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by re-zoning for business purposes the following described land: Beginning at a point on the Northerly line of Winter Street, said point being 74.99 feet West-

erly from Stocker Street; thence the line runs Westerly along Winter Street 230.26 feet; thence the line turns and runs Northerly along the land of the Town of Saugus 100 feet; thence the line turns and runs Easterly along land of the Town of Saugus a distance of 200.20 feet, thence the line turns and runs Southerly a distance of 110.93 feet, to point of beginning, the same being the whole of Lots A58 and A59 as shown on Assessors' Plan 3010. Unanimous. 9:47 P.M."

A true copy.
Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

Boston, Mass., May 28, 1946.

The foregoing amendment to zoning by-laws is hereby approved.

CLARENCE A. BARNES,
Attorney General.

TOWN OF SAUGUS, MASSACHUSETTS

Office of
TOWN CLERK
Town Hall

April 4, 1946.

To Whom It May Concern:

This is to certify that the following is a true copy of the voted motion on Article 69 of the Annual Town Meeting Warrant of March 13, 1946, passed at the adjourned session held March 25, 1946:

"ARTICLE 69.

Notice of Hearing

The Planning Board will hold public hearings as listed below on the several Zoning Articles found in the Warrant of the 1946 Annual Town Meeting in the Town Hall on Wednesday, February 27, 1946, at 7:30 P.M. All listed petitions are to change the Zoning By-Laws as shown.

Petition of Bernard M. Riley to change the zone classification of a part of Lot A-21 of Assessors' Plan 2030 from single residence to business. Located at 763 Broadway.

Report of the Planning Board

After advertising in the Saugus Weekly Advertiser, issue of February 21, 1946, the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 69 in the Town Hall on February 27, 1946, and after discussion the Board recommends adoption of the article. By J. A. MEEKER, Chairman.

Voted: To amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by re-zoning for business purposes the following described land: Beginning at a point on the Westerly side of Broadway, said point being 20 feet South from a stone bound which is the P. C. of a curve with a radius of 940.91 feet; thence the line runs Northerly along said Broadway a distance of 93 feet to the property line of Riley; thence turning and running Westerly along said property a distance of 100 feet, thence turning and running Southerly 93 feet; thence turning and running Westerly 100 feet to point of beginning; the same being a part of Lot A-21 as shown on the Assessors' Plan 2030. Unanimous. 9:49 P.M."

A true copy.
Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

Boston, Mass., May 28, 1946.

The foregoing amendment to zoning by-laws is hereby approved.

CLARENCE A. BARNES,
Attorney General.

TOWN OF SAUGUS, MASSACHUSETTS

Office of
TOWN CLERK
Town Hall

April 4, 1946.

To Whom It May Concern:

This is to certify that the following is a true copy of the voted motion on Article 70 of the Annual Town Meeting Warrant of March 13, 1946, passed at the adjourned session held March 25, 1946:

"ARTICLE 70.

Notice of Hearing

The Planning Board will hold public hearings as listed below on the several Zoning Articles found in the Warrant of the 1946 Annual Town Meeting in the Town Hall on Wednesday, February 27, 1946, at 7:30 P.M. All listed petitions are to change the Zoning By-Law as shown.

Petition of M. Edward Hayes to change the zone classifications of the whole of Lot A of Assessors' Plan 2030 from single residence and business to industrial. Located at 821 Broadway.

Report of the Planning Board

After advertising in the Saugus Weekly Advertiser, issue of February 21, 1946, the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 70 in the Town Hall on February 27, 1946, and after discussion the Board recommends adoption of the article. By J. A. MEEKER, Chairman.

Voted: To amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by re-zoning for industrial purposes the property owned by the Trimount Bituminous Products Co. located at 821 Broadway, now zoned for single residence and business purposes, same now being non-conforming use, and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Westerly side of Broadway, said point being the stone bound marking the Town and County line between Saugus and Melrose; thence the line runs Northerly along said Broadway 1002.07 feet; thence turning and running Westerly a distance of 507.15; thence turning and running Easterly a distance of 219.60 feet; thence turning and running Northerly a distance of 1062.17 feet; thence turning and running Westerly by a stone wall a distance of 441.05 feet; thence turning and running Southerly a distance of 904.72 feet; thence turning and running Westerly a distance of 239.50 feet; thence turning and running Northerly a distance of 68.62 feet; thence turning and running Westerly a distance of 50.70 feet; thence turning and running Southerly by said Town and County line a distance of 1455.18 feet to the point of beginning; containing 26.97 acres, the same being the whole of Lot A as shown on Assessors' Plan 2030. Yeas 110, Nays 13. 10:54 P.M."

A true copy.
Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

Boston, Mass., May 28, 1946.

The foregoing amendment to zoning by-laws is hereby approved.

CLARENCE A. BARNES,
Attorney General.

TOWN OF SAUGUS, MASSACHUSETTS

Office of
TOWN CLERK
Town Hall

April 4, 1946.

To Whom It May Concern:

This is to certify that the following is a true copy of the voted motion on Article 71 of the Annual Town Meeting Warrant of March 13, 1946, passed at the adjourned session held March 25, 1946:

"ARTICLE 71.

Notice of Hearing

The Planning Board will hold public hearings as listed below on the several Zoning Articles found in the Warrant of the 1946 Annual Town Meeting in the Town Hall on Wednesday, February 27, 1946, at 7:30 P.M. All listed petitions are to change the Zoning By-Law as shown.

Petition of Delmont E. Goding to change the zone classification of the whole of Lot A-3 of Assessors' Plan 1048 from single residence and business to industrial. Located on Broadway at Prankers Pond.

Report of the Planning Board

After advertising in the Saugus Weekly Advertiser, issue of February 21, 1946, the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 71 in the Town Hall on February 27, 1946, and after discussion the Board recommends adoption of the article. By J. A. MEEKER, Chairman.

Voted: That the Town amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by re-zoning for industrial purposes the property owned by Michael DeStefano located at Broadway and adjacent to the land owned by Gerondelis, now zoned as single residence and business, and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Easterly side of Broadway, said point being the property line of Louis and Charles Gerondelis and Michael DeStefano; thence the line runs Easterly a distance of 555 feet to Prankers Pond; thence the line turns and runs Southerly by the shore of said pond about 1800 feet; thence the line turns and runs Westerly by several courses to Broadway a distance of 1000 feet; thence the line runs Northeasterly by said Broadway about 565 feet to point of beginning; the same being the whole of Lot A3 as shown on the Assessors' plan 1048. Unanimous. 10:55 P.M."

A true copy.
Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

Boston, Mass., May 28, 1946.

The foregoing amendment to zoning by-laws is hereby approved.

CLARENCE A. BARNES,
Attorney General.

TOWN OF SAUGUS, MASSACHUSETTS

Office of
TOWN CLERK
Town Hall

April 4, 1946.

To Whom It May Concern:

This is to certify that the following is a true copy of the voted

motion on Article 72 of the Annual Town Meeting Warrant of March 13, 1946, passed at the adjourned session held March 25, 1946:

"ARTICLE 72.

Notice of Hearing

The Planning Board will hold public hearings as listed below on the several Zoning Articles found in the Warrant of the 1946 Annual Town Meeting in the Town Hall on Wednesday, February 27, 1946, at 7:30 P.M. All listed petitions are to change the Zoning By-Law as shown. Petition of Leo H. LeBlanc to change the zone classification of the whole of Lot A24 of Assessors' Plan 1039 from single residence to business, located at Broadway and Spring Street.

Report of the Planning Board

After advertising in the Saugus Weekly Advertiser, issue of February 21, 1946, the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 72 in the Town Hall on February 27, 1946, and after discussion the Board recommends adoption of the article. By J. A. MEEKER, Chairman.

Voted: To amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by re-zoning for business purposes the following described land: Beginning at a point on the Westerly line of Broadway, said point being at the intersection of the northerly line of Spring Street, so-called; thence the line runs Northwesterly along Spring Street a distance of 66.30 feet; thence the line runs Northeasterly a distance of 180.13 feet; thence the line runs Northwesterly a distance of 67 feet; thence the line runs Northeasterly a distance of 86.80 feet; thence the line runs Southeasterly a distance of 75.85 feet; thence the line runs Southwesterly along Broadway a distance of 279.41 feet to point of beginning; the same being the whole of Lot A-24 as shown on Assessors' Plan 1039. Unanimous. 10:56 P.M."

A true copy.
Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

Boston, Mass., May 28, 1946.

The foregoing amendment to zoning by-laws is hereby approved.

CLARENCE A. BARNES,
Attorney General.

TOWN OF SAUGUS, MASSACHUSETTS

Office of
TOWN CLERK
Town Hall

April 4, 1946.

To Whom It May Concern:

This is to certify that the following is a true copy of the voted motion on Article 74 of the Annual Town Meeting Warrant of March 13, 1946, passed at the adjourned session held March 25, 1946:

"ARTICLE 74.

Notice of Hearing

The Planning Board will hold public hearings as listed below on the several Zoning Articles found in the Warrant of the 1946 Annual Town Meeting in the Town Hall on Wednesday, February 27, 1946, at 7:30 P.M. All listed petitions are to change the Zoning By-Law as shown.

Petition of Edward Flood to change the zone classification of the whole of Lots A32 and A37 of Assessors' Plan 1028 and 1029. Located on Broadway, north of Main Street.

Report of the Planning Board

After advertising in the Saugus Weekly Advertiser, issue of February 21, 1946, the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 74 in the Town Hall on February 27, 1946, and after discussion the Board recommends adoption of the article. By J. A. MEEKER, Chairman.

Voted: To amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by re-zoning for business purposes the following described land; beginning at a point on the Easterly line of Broadway at a monument marking the P. C. of a curve with a radius of 2740 feet on the State layout of 1936; thence the line runs along said Broadway a distance of 694.92 feet; thence turning and running Easterly 550.63 feet; thence turning and running Southerly a distance of 668.08 feet; thence turning and running Westerly by several courses 469.62 feet to the point of beginning, and containing about 7.50 acres; the same being the whole of Lots A32 and A37 as shown on the Assessors' Plan 1028 and 1029.

Unanimous. 10:59 P.M."

A true copy.
Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

Boston, Mass., May 28, 1946.

The foregoing amendment to zoning by-laws is hereby approved.

CLARENCE A. BARNES,
Attorney General.

TOWN OF SAUGUS, MASSACHUSETTS

Office of
TOWN CLERK
Town Hall

April 10, 1946.

To Whom It May Concern:

This is to certify that the following is a true copy of the voted motion on Article 75 passed at the adjourned Annual Town Meeting on April 1, 1946:

"ARTICLE 75.

Notice of Hearing

The Planning Board will hold public hearings as listed below on the several Zoning Articles found in the Warrant of the 1946 Annual Town Meeting in the Town Hall on Wednesday, February 27, 1946, at 7:30 P.M. All listed petitions are to change the zoning by-law as shown.

Petition of Delmont E. Goding to change the zone classification of the whole of Lot A16 of Assessors' Plan 1029 from single residence to business. Located at or near 510 Broadway.

Report of the Planning Board

After advertising in the Saugus Weekly Advertiser, issue of February 21, 1946, the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 75 in the Town Hall on February 27, 1946, and after discussion the Board recommends adoption of the article. By J. A. MEEKER, Chairman.

Voted: To amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map so that the property shown as Lot A16 on Assessors' Plan 1029 may be zoned for business. Unanimous. 11:08 P.M."
A true copy.

Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

Boston, Mass., May 28, 1946.

The foregoing amendment to zoning by-laws is hereby approved.

CLARENCE A. BARNES,
Attorney General.

TOWN OF SAUGUS, MASSACHUSETTS

Office of
TOWN CLERK
Town Hall

April 10, 1946.

To Whom It May Concern:

This is to certify that the following is a true copy of the voted motion on Article 76, passed at the adjourned Annual Town Meeting on April 1, 1946:

"ARTICLE 76.

Notice of Hearing

The Planning Board will hold public hearings as listed below on the several Zoning Articles found in the Warrant of the 1946 Annual Town Meeting in the Town Hall on Wednesday, February 27, 1946, at 7:30 P.M. All listed petitions are to change the zoning by-law as shown.

Petition of T. A. Phillips to change the zone classification of the whole of Lot A59 of Assessors' Plan 2008 from single residence to business. Located on Lincoln Avenue between Lincoln Court and Western Avenue.

Report of the Planning Board

After advertising in the Saugus Weekly Advertiser, issue of February 21, 1946, the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 76 in the Town Hall on February 27, 1946, and after discussion the Board recommends adoption of the article. By J. A. MEEKER, Chairman.

Voted: To amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map so that the following described land shall be zoned for business purposes: Beginning at a point on the Easterly side of Lincoln Avenue, said point being 130.05 feet South from the intersection of the Southerly line of Lincoln Court and said Lincoln Avenue, thence the line runs Southeasterly 120 feet; thence the line turns and runs Southwesterly 37.1 feet to the property of Carter; thence the line turns and runs Northwesterly a distance of 118.0 feet to Lincoln Avenue; thence the line turns and runs Northeasterly by said Lincoln Avenue a distance of 34.3 feet to point of beginning; the same being the whole of Lot A59 on Assessors' Plan 2008. Unanimous. 8:24 P.M."

A true copy.
Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

Boston, Mass., May 28, 1946.
The foregoing amendment to zoning by-laws is hereby approved.
CLARENCE A. BARNES,
Attorney General.

TOWN OF SAUGUS, MASSACHUSETTS

Office of
TOWN CLERK
Town Hall

April 10, 1946.

To Whom It May Concern:

This is to certify that the following is a true copy of the voted motion on Article 77, passed at the adjourned Annual Town Meeting on April 1, 1946:

"ARTICLE 77.

Notice of Hearing

The Planning Board will hold public hearings as listed below on the several Zoning Articles found in the Warrant of the 1946 Annual Town Meeting in the Town Hall on Wednesday, February 27, 1946, at 7:30 P.M. All listed petitions are to change the Zoning By-Laws as shown.

Petition of Archibald M. Sweezey to change the zone classification of the whole of Lot A122 of Assessors' Plan 2001 from single residence (presently non-conforming use) to business. Located at 565 Lincoln Avenue.

Report of the Planning Board

After advertising in the Saugus Weekly Advertiser, issue of February 21, 1946, the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 77 in the Town Hall on February 27, 1946, and after discussion the Board recommends adoption of the article. By J. A. MEEKER, Chairman.

Voted: To amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by re-zoning for business purposes the property owned by the Uno Ventilator Company located at 565 Lincoln Avenue and shown as Lot A-122 on Assessors' Plan 2001, now zoned as single residence (non-conforming) and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Westerly side of Lincoln Avenue, said point being 155 feet South from the intersection of the Southerly line of Linwood Street and said Lincoln Avenue; thence the line runs Northwesterly a distance of 130 feet; thence the line turns and runs Southwesterly a distance of 37.50 feet; thence the line turns and runs Southeasterly a distance of 130 feet to Lincoln Avenue; thence the line runs by said Lincoln Avenue 37.50 feet to the point of beginning. Unanimous. 8:26 P.M."

A true copy.
Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

Boston, Mass., May 28, 1946.
The foregoing amendment to zoning by-laws is hereby approved.
CLARENCE A. BARNES,
Attorney General.

TOWN OF SAUGUS, MASSACHUSETTS

Office of
TOWN CLERK
Town Hall

April 10, 1946.

To Whom It May Concern:

This is to certify that the following is a true copy of the voted motion on Article 78, passed at the adjourned Annual Town Meeting on April 1, 1946:

"ARTICLE 78.

Notice of Hearing

The Planning Board will hold public hearings as listed below on the several Zoning Articles found in the Warrant of the 1946 Annual Town Meeting in the Town Hall on Wednesday, February 27, 1946, at 7:30 P.M. All listed petitions are to change the Zoning By-Law as shown.

Petition of George A. Eaton to change the zone classification of a part of Lot A144 of Assessors' Plan 1041 from single residence and business to business. Located on Broadway adjacent to land of one Beauregard.

Report of the Planning Board

After advertising in the Saugus Weekly Advertiser, issue of February 21, 1946, the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 78 in the Town Hall on February 27, 1946, and after discussion the Board recommends adoption of the article. By J. A. MEEKER, Chairman.

Voted: To amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by re-zoning for business purposes the property owned by Phillip and Julia Carbone located at and adjacent to land owned by Mabel I. Beauregard, now zoned as single residence and business, and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Easterly side of Broadway, said point being the property line of Mabel I. Beauregard and Phillip and Julia Carbone; thence the line runs Easterly 165 feet; thence the line turns and runs Northerly about 370 feet to Walden Avenue; thence the line runs by said Walden Avenue 49.5 feet; thence the line turns and runs Southeasterly 720 feet; thence the line turns and runs Southwesterly about 340 feet; thence the line runs Northerly along Broadway 170 feet to the point of beginning; the same being a part of Lot A-144 as shown on the Assessors' Plan 1041. Unanimous. 8:28 P.M."

A true copy.
Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

Boston, Mass., May 28, 1946.

The foregoing amendment to zoning by-laws is hereby approved.

CLARENCE A. BARNES,
Attorney General.

TOWN OF SAUGUS, MASSACHUSETTS

Office of
TOWN CLERK
Town Hall

April 10, 1946.

To Whom It May Concern:

This is to certify that the following is a true copy of the voted motion on Article 80 passed at the adjourned Annual Town Meeting of April 1, 1946:

"ARTICLE 80.

Notice of Hearing

The Planning Board will hold public hearings as listed below on the several Zoning Articles found in the Warrant of the 1946 Annual Town Meeting in the Town Hall on Wednesday, February 27, 1946, at 7:30 P.M. All listed petitions are to change the zoning by-law as shown.

Petition of Louis Ciampa to change the zone classification of the whole of Lots A186, A245, A247 of Assessors' Plan 3015, from single residence to business. Located on Bristow Street.

Report of the Planning Board

After advertising in the Saugus Weekly Advertiser, issue of February 21, 1946, the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 80 in the Town Hall on February 27, 1946, and after discussion the Board recommends adoption of the article. By J. A. MEEKER, Chairman.

Voted: To amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by re-zoning for business purposes the property owned by Louis A. and Caroline E. Ciampa located at 38 Bristow Street and adjacent to land owned by the Town of Saugus, now zoned as single residence, and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Westerly side of Bristow Street, thence the line runs Westerly a distance of 100 feet to land of Cogliano; thence turning and running Northerly a distance of 200 feet to the land of the Town of Saugus; thence turning and running Easterly 100 feet to Bristow Street; thence turning and running Southerly by said Bristow Street, 200 feet to the point of beginning; the same being the whole of Lots A-245, A247 and A186 as shown on Assessors' Plan 3015. Unanimous. 8:34 P.M."

A true copy.
Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

Boston, Mass., May 28, 1946.

The foregoing amendment to zoning by-laws is hereby approved.

CLARENCE A. BARNES,
Attorney General.

TOWN OF SAUGUS, MASSACHUSETTS

Office of
TOWN CLERK
Town Hall

April 10, 1946.

To Whom It May Concern:

This is to certify that the following is a true copy of the voted motion on Article 81 passed at the adjourned Annual Town Meeting of April 1, 1946:

"ARTICLE 81.

Notice of Hearing

The Planning Board will hold public hearings as listed below on the several Zoning Articles found in the Warrant of the 1946 Annual Town Meeting in the Town Hall on Wednesday, February 27, 1946, at 7:30 P.M. All listed petitions are to change the zoning by-law as shown.

Petition of James Nicolo to change the zone classification of the whole of Lots A6, 7, 8-9-17-18-19-20 and A59 of Assessors' Plan 3022 from single residence to business. Located on Bristow Street and presumably marshland.

Report of the Planning Board

After advertising in the Saugus Weekly Advertiser, issue of February 21, 1946, the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 81 in the Town Hall on February 27, 1946, and after discussion the Board recommends adoption of the article. By J. A. Meeker, Chairman.

Voted: To amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by re-zoning for business purposes Lot A-9 on Assessors' Plan 2035, and Lot A59, and Lots 6-7-8-9-17-18-19 and 20 on Assessors' Plan 3022.

Unanimous. 8:35 P.M."

A true copy.

Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

Boston, Mass., May 28, 1946.

The foregoing amendment to zoning by-laws is hereby approved.

CLARENCE A. BARNES,
Attorney General.

TOWN OF SAUGUS

ESSEX, ss.

To W. Charles Sellick, Constable of the Town of Saugus

Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Saugus, qualified to vote in Town Affairs, to assemble in the TOWN HALL on MONDAY, OCTOBER TWENTY-EIGHTH, A.D. Nineteen Hundred and Forty-six, at Eight o'clock, P.M., to hear and act on the following articles, viz:

ARTICLE 1. To see if the Town will vote to take by eminent domain, gift, purchase or otherwise, a part of Lot A-56 on Assessors' Plan 2017 at the corner of Birch Street and Lincoln Avenue, now owned by Stanley Anderson, said land to be used for highway purposes and as shown on a plan filed in the office of the Town Clerk, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

ART. 2. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to see at public sale, a parcel of land on Lincoln Avenue in East Saugus, formerly used as the site of the former East Saugus Hose House and American Legion Building, known as Lot A-15 on Assessors'

Plan 3012, or to see wha taction the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

ART. 3. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to purchase or take by eminent domain the land and easements for standpipe, water main and right of way near Walnut Street, as shown on plan by Weston & Sampson, #14/101 on file with the Town Engineer, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

ART. 4. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Section 85E of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

ART. 5. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $600.00 for the purpose of complying with the provisions of Section 85E of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, if accepted, said sum to be transferred from unexpended balances or available funds, or both; or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

ART. 6. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the following sums of money:

To Old Age Assistance—Aid Account	$9,500.00
To Aid to Dependent Children—Aid Account	4,000.00
To Public Welfare—Temporary Aid Account	2,500.00
To Infirmary Account	1,250.00

said sums to be transferred from unexpended balances or available funds, or both; or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Public Welfare.

ART. 7. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $2,500.00 to the Soldiers' Relief Account, said sum to be transferred from unexpended balances or available funds, or both; or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Board of Selectmen.

ART. 8. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 to pay bills incurred and for which an emergency was declared because of damage to the Armitage School, Essex Street, Saugus, caused by the storm of June 8, 1946, said sum to be transferred from any unexpended balances or available funds, or both; to the Schoolhouse Repairs Account, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the School Committee.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $1,577.00 to complete the cost of the installation of the new boiler and oil burner at the Roby School, Main Street, Saugus, said sum to be transferred from any unexpended balances or available funds, or both; to the account titled "New Heating System—Roby School," or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the School Committee.

ART. 10. To see if the Town will vote to request the Board of Selectmen to cause the following question to be placed upon the ballot at the next Town Meeting: "Shall the Board of Selectmen in behalf of the Town of Saugus, make application to the Legislature for a City Form of Government for said Town?" or to see what action the Town will take in the matter, agreeable to the petition of the Finance Committee.

You are hereby directed to serve this WARRANT by posting attested copies thereof at the usual places seven days, at least, before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof, fail not, and make due return of this WARRANT, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands and the Town Seal this Fourteenth day of October, A.D. Nineteen Hundred and Forty-six.

(Seal)

WILLIAM S. OLIVER,
C. CARROLL CUNNINGHAM,
WILLIAM H. ROBINSON,
Board of Selectmen.

A true copy.
Attest:
W. CHARLES SELLICK, Constable.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

ESSEX, ss. October 19, 1946.

Pursuant hereunto I have served the within Warrant as directed by posting attested copies at the several precincts at least seven days before said meeting according to the By-Laws.

A true copy.
Attest:
W. CHARLES SELLICK, Constable.

October 19, 1946.

In compliance with Chapter 55 of the Acts of 1928 and also with Section 2 of the By-Laws of the Town of Saugus, I hereby certify that today I mailed to all Limited Town Meeting Members a printed copy of the Warrant for the Special Town Meeting of October 28, 1946.

Signed,
VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

Special Town Meeting

OCTOBER 28, 1946

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Laurence F. Davis, at 8:15 P.M.

The following persons were appointed tellers:

William Irby	Harold Wilkinson
Charles DeFronzo	Paul Corson

The invocation was given by Rev. McDuffee.

A count of the members was made. 123 were present, constituting a quorum.

The salute to the flag was given.

The reading of the Warrant and the records was waived by unanimous consent.

ARTICLE 1. Voted to lay on the table. 8:20 P.M.

ART. 2. Voted: To authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell at public sale for a sum not less than $1,250.00 a parcel of land on Lincoln Avenue in East Saugus formerly used as the site of the former East Saugus hose house and American Legion building, known as Lot A15 on Assessors' Plan 3012. Yeas 116, Nays 2. 8:30 P.M.

ART. 3. Voted: That the Board of Selectmen be and hereby is authorized and instructed to acquire as a gift the necessary interests in the following parcels of land, all of which are shown on plan by Weston and Sampson #14/101, on file with the Town Engineer:

Parcel #1. A strip of land forty feet wide running Southwesterly from Hobson Street 332 feet more or less to the land of proposed location of stand pipe, all as shown on said plan.

Parcel #2. A rectangular parcel of land abutting the Southwesterly end of the above-described parcel and containing 33,750 square feet, more or less, all as shown on said plan.

Parcel #3. A strip of land fifteen feet wide running Northeasterly from Walnut Street 400 feet, more or less to land of proposed location of stand pipe, all as shown on said plan. Yeas 124, Nays 0. 8:35 P.M.

ART. 4. Voted to accept the provisions of Section 85E of Chapter 32 of the General Laws. Yeas 125, Nays 0. Unanimous. 8:40 P.M.

ART. 5. Voted: That the sum of $600.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for complying with the provisions of Section 85E of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, said sum to be transferred to pension fund account from unexpended funds appropriated under Article 19 of the 1943 Annual Town Meeting Warrant. Unanimous. 8:41 P.M.

ART. 6. Voted: That the sum of $7,500.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for Old Age Assistance—Aid Account, said sum to be in addition to any amounts previously appropriated, said sum to be transferred from unexpended funds of Article 60 of the Finance Committee Report and Annual Town Meeting of March 25, 1946. Unanimous. 8:50 P.M. (Continued below.)

ART. 7. Voted: That the sum of $2,500.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the Soldiers' Relief Account, the same to be in addition to any amounts previously appropriated, said sum to be transferred to said account from unexpended funds appropriated under Article 37 of the 1946 Annual Town Meeting Warrant. Unanimous. 8:54 P.M.

ART. 8. Voted: That the sum of $1,000.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the School Repair Account, the same to be in addition to any amounts previously appropriated, said sum to be transferred to said account from unexpended funds appropriated under Article 36 of the 1946 Annual Town Meeting Warrant. Unanimous. 8:56 P.M.

ART. 9. Voted: That the sum of $1,577.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated to complete the cost of the installation of the new boiler and oil burner at the Roby School, Main Street, Saugus, said sum to be transferred from the Insurance Receipts Account to the special account captioned "New Heating System—Roby School." Unanimous. 9:12 P.M.

ART. 6 (Continued). Voted: That the sum of $500.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for Old Age Assistance—Aid Account, said sum to be in addition to any amounts previously appropriated, said sum to be transferred from unexpended funds of Article 37 of the Finance Committee Report and Annual Town Meeting of March 25, 1946.

Voted: That the sum of $3,000.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for Aid to Dependent Children—Aid, said sum to be in addition to any amounts previously appropriated, said sum to be transferred from

unexpended funds of Article 37 of the Finance Committee Report and Annual Town Meeting of March 25, 1946.

Voted: That the sum of $1,000.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for Public Welfare—Temporary Aid, said sum to be in addition to any amounts previously appropriated, said sum to be transferred from unexpended funds of Article 1 of Special Town Meeting of March 25, 1946.

Voted: That the sum of $1,000.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for Infirmary Account, said sum to be in addition to any amounts previously appropriated, said sum to be transferred from unexpended funds of Article 1 of Special Town Meeting of March 25, 1946.

ART. 10. Voted to request the Board of Selectmen and Finance Committee to cause the following questions to be placed upon the ballot at the next Annual Town Meeting:

Shall the Town of Saugus make application to the Legislature for a Plan A city form of government?

Shall the Town of Saugus make application to the Legislature for a Plan B form of government?

Shall the Town of Saugus make application to the Legislature for a Plan C form of government?

Shall the Town of Saugus make application to the Legislature for a Plan D form of government?

Shall the Town of Saugus make application to the Legislature for a Plan E city form of government?

Shall the Town of Saugus make application to the Legislature for a different representative form of government?

Shall the Town of Saugus make application to the Legislature for a Town Manager form of government?

Unanimous. 10:26 P.M.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:27 P.M. without date.

A true copy.
Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Essex, ss.

To W. Charles Sellick, Constable of the Town of Saugus

GREETINGS:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in State Elections to meet in the several voting precincts of the Town on

Tuesday, the Fifth Day of November, 1946

at 12:00 o'clock M., for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the election officers for the Election of Candidates for the following officers:

GOVERNOR; LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR; SECRETARY; TREASURER; AUDITOR; ATTORNEY GENERAL; SENATOR IN CONGRESS; REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS; COUNCILLOR; SENATOR; REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT (2); DISTRICT ATTORNEY; CLERK OF COURTS; REGISTER OF DEEDS; COUNTY COMMISSIONER; REGISTER OF PROBATE AND INSOLVENCY (to fill vacancy); COUNTY TREASURER (to fill vacancy).

Also to mark your "Yes" and "No" to the following questions:

QUESTIONS

QUESTION NO. 1

LAW PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION

Shall this measure, which by amendments of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.), provides for payment by the Commonwealth of adequate pensions to deserving citizens sixty-five years of age or over in need of relief or support, who shall have resided in the Commonwealth not less than five years immediately preceding the date of application for such pension, and who shall have resided in the Commonwealth continuously for one year immediately preceding said date of application, which is further described as follows:

The measure, by amendments of General Laws (Ter. Ed), c. 6, provides for an old age pension commission of three persons, one to be a qualified physician, another to be an attorney at law and a third to be a non-professional person, who are to be appointed and may be removed for cause by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Council, and are to serve under the Governor and Council. Not more than two members of said Commission shall be members of the same political party. Original appointments of members shall be for one, two and three years respectively, and thereafter appointments are to be for three years. Such members are to devote their whole time to the work of the Commission during business hours and be engaged in no other business, occupation or profession. One of their number is to be designated as chairman by the Governor and shall receive a salary of $6,000, and each other member $5,500 per year, with their necessary expenses. The commission is empowered to make and enforce rules and regulations as it may deem necessary in the performance of its duties and as may be approved by the Governor and Council.

The measure strikes out Chapter 118A of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.), and inserts in its place a new chapter entitled "Adequate pensions for certain aged citizens."

It is provided that pensions hereunder shall be paid from the date of application therefor, but in no event before the applicant reaches the age of sixty-five. The Commission shall render a decision in not less than thirty days from the date of application for a pension or a request for an increase of the amount thereof. Such pension shall, wherever practicable, be paid to the aged person in his own home or in lodgings or in a boarding home, which for the purposes hereof shall include any institution providing shelter, care and treatment for aged persons which is not supported in whole or in part by public funds; provided, that no inmate of such a boarding home or institution shall be eligible for a pension under this chapter while being cared for under a contract. Such pension shall be paid by check or in cash which shall be delivered to the pensioner at his residence, if he so requests, and shall be paid semi-monthly unless the pensioner prefers less frequent payments. Such pension shall be on the basis of need and the amount thereof shall be determined in accordance with budgetary standards established by the Commission. Budgetary standards shall be such as to enable an individual pensioner to maintain a standard of living compatible with decency and health. Such pensions, except as hereinafter provided, shall be at the rate of not less than $48.00 monthly. The pensioner's budget at such times as may be required shall include medical care, if recommended by a recognized physician, eyeglasses, if recommended by a recognized optician, dental care and false teeth, if recommended by a recognized dentist.

In computing the pensioner's payment under this chapter, the Commission shall deduct from the pensioner's budget or the minimum payment, whichever is greater, the amount of income the person paid or to

be paid a pension hereunder may be receiving from any source, and may deduct therefrom such reasonable amount as may be deemed to represent the financial value of board, lodging or other assistance which is being furnished to such persons from any source.

Upon the death of a person drawing a pension, whose funeral cost does not exceed the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars and in whose estate there are insufficient assets to cover the full cost of the funeral, the Commission shall pay to the funeral director the difference between the assets and the cost of the funeral, a sum not exceeding one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

Expenses for medical, hospital and other services rendered to a pensioner, which remain unpaid at the time of his death or commitment to an institution as an insane person, shall be paid directly to the person rendering such services.

No pension under this chapter shall be discontinued nor shall the amount thereof be decreased until the expiration of fifteen days after notice has been given by the Commission to the pensioner.

Provision is made by which a person receiving a pension may be absent from the Commonwealth on a visit without having such pension suspended.

It is provided that General Laws (Ter. Ed.), c. 273, § 20, which relates to the support of parents by children, shall not apply when parents are eligible to receive a pension.

Provision is made that there shall be set up in the Commission a subdivision of appeals under the jurisdiction of a supervisor of appeals. Any person aggrieved by the failure of the Commission to pay an adequate pension under this chapter, or by the failure of the Commission to approve or reject an application for a pension or a request for an increase in the amount thereof, within thirty days after receiving such application or request, shall have a right to a fair hearing, after due notice, upon appeal to the subdivision of appeals in the form and manner prescribed by the commission; provided that such appeal is received by the subdivision of appeals within sixty days after official notice of the action taken by the Old Age Pension Commission has been received by the applicant or pensioner. The decision of the subdivision of appeals shall be final and binding upon the Commission.

The Commission or any interested person aggrieved by any decision in any proceeding before the subdivision of appeals may obtain judicial review of such decision by filing, within twenty days of the date of mailing of such decision, a petition for review thereof in the district court within the judicial district wherein the pensioner or the applicant for a pension lives.

In any proceeding for review the findings of the subdivision of appeals as to the facts shall be conclusive, such proceedings shall be heard in a summary manner and given precedence over all other civil cases. From the decision of a district court upon review an appeal may be taken to the Supreme Judicial Court.

The possession by an applicant for pension under this chapter of assets consisting of cash, active securities or inactive securities, or any combination of such assets, shall not disqualify him from receiving such pension; provided, that the total of such assets, figuring the present cash value of such inactive securities at the sum determined by the Old Age Pension Commission, does not exceed the sum of $300.

A person is not to be disqualified from receiving a pension because of the ownership of an equity in vacant land from which there is insufficient

income to provide for his budgetary needs or minimum payments, or the ownership of an equity in real estate by an applicant who resides thereon or who, in the opinion of the Commission is residing elsewhere because of physical or mental incapacity, provided that if such equity on the basis of assessed valuation exceeds an average of $3,000 during the five years immediately preceding application for the pension, the applicant shall execute a bond in the penal sum for the amount of the equity in excess of $3,000 conditioned on repayment to the Commonwealth of all amounts paid as such pension without interest, such bond to be secured by a mortgage on the applicant's real estate. Provision is made for the recording of such bond and mortgage without a fee and the apportionment of the proceeds realized from any of them between the Federal government and the Commonwealth.

A person is not to be disqualified from receiving a pension by reason of the ownership of a policy of group insurance or of a policy of insurance in an amount not exceeding $1,000 or of a policy of insurance in an amount not exceeding $3,000, having a cash surrender value not in excess of $1,000, if such policy has been in effect not less than fifteen years.

No pension shall be granted to an applicant who at any time within five years immediately prior to the filing of an application for such pension has made an assignment or transfer of property so as to render himself eligible to such pension. No pension shall be subject to trustee process or assignment, and no applicant for a pension, who knowingly makes any false statement or perpetrates any fraud or deception in relation to his application, shall be granted any pension nor be eligible for one during one year thereafter. A person, his executor or administrator shall be liable in contract to the Commonwealth for expenses incurred by it for a pension paid to such person under this chapter if such person or his estate is in possession of funds not otherwise exempted thereunder.

If an application for a pension under this chapter is effected by the eligibility of the applicant to receive aid under General Laws (Ter. Ed.), c. 115, which relates to State and Military Aid and Soldiers' Relief, the applicant shall be entitled to exercise such options and execute such waivers as may be necessary to receive the pension which he seeks.

All cities and towns in the Commonwealth shall furnish suitable headquarters for the carrying out of the duties of the commission in such cities and towns.

The measure further provides that there shall be established and set up on the books of the Commonwealth a separate fund, to be known as the Old Age Pension Fund, consisting of receipts credited to said fund under General Laws (Ter. Ed.) c 64B, G. L. (Ter. Ed.) c. 128A, § 15, as amended, G. L. (Ter. Ed.) c. 138, § 27, as amended, and all proceeds of taxes assessed under Acts of 1941, c. 729, §§ 9 and 9A.

The Old Age Assistance Fund as in force immediately prior to the effective date of this act is hereby continued in existence, but shall hereafter be entitled "The Old Age Pension Fund."

It is provided that all civil service employees in the Department of Public Welfare of the Commonwealth, including the supervisor, referees and employees of the subdivision of appeals in said department or of any city or town, employed in the administration of the Old Age Assistance Law on the effective date of this proposed measure, shall be transferred to the service of the Old Age Pension Commission, retaining their present civil service seniority retirement rights and any step increases from the minimum pay of their grade earned during their service with said department or said bureaus.

It is provided that all records and property used in the administration of the Old Age Assistance Law and which are the property of the Commonwealth are to be transferred to the Old Age Pension Commission.

This act shall take effect on March first, nineteen hundred and forty-seven,—**which proposed law was approved in the House of Representatives by a vote of 125 in the affirmative and 79 in the negative, and on which the Senate did not vote,**—be approved?

YES	
NO	

QUESTION NO. 2

LAW PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION

Shall this measure which provides that no labor union may be operated or maintained unless there is filed with the Commissioner of Labor and Industries a statement signed by the President and Treasurer setting forth the union's officers, aims, scale of dues, fees, fines, assessments and the salaries of the officers.

The President and Treasurer of a labor union is required to file annually with the Commissioner of Labor and Industries a detailed statement in writing setting forth all receipts and expenditures of the union which shall be open to the public, and the said Commissioner is given the power to summons witnesses and records; and there is a penalty of not less than $50.00 nor more than $500.00 for whoever fails to file a statement or whoever knowingly makes a false statement,—**which was disapproved in the House of Representatives by a vote of 50 in the affirmative and 154 in the negative and in the Senate by a vote of 6 in the affirmative and 24 in the negative,**—be approved?

YES	
NO	

To obtain a full expression of opinion, voters should vote on all three of the following questions:—

(a) If a voter desires to permit the sale in this city (or town) of any and all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on and off the premises where sold, he will vote "YES" on all three questions.

(b) If he desires to permit the sale herein of wines and malt beverages only to be drunk on and off the premises where sold, he will vote "NO" on question one, "YES" on question two and "NO" on question three.

(c) If he desires to permit the sale herein of all alcoholic beverages but only in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises where sold, he will vote "NO" on questions one and two and "YES" on question three.

(d) If he desires to permit the sale herein of wines and malt beverages to be drunk on and off the premises where sold and in addition other alcoholic beverages but only in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises where sold, he will vote "NO" on question one and "YES" on questions two and three.

(e) If he desires to prohibit the sale herein of any and all alcoholic beverages whether to be drunk on or off the premises where sold, he will vote "NO" on all three questions.

1. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whiskey, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?

YES	
NO	

2. Shall licenses be granted in this city ,or town) for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?

YES	
NO	

3. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, so-called, not to be drunk on the premises?

YES	
NO	

1. Shall the pari-mutual system of betting on licensed horse races be permitted in this county?

YES	
NO	

2. Shall the pari-mutual system of betting on licensed dog races be permitted in this county?

YES	
NO	

"Shall the General Court enact legislation requiring jury service by women, with such reservations as it may prescribe?"

YES	
NO	

The polls will be open from 12 noon to 8 P.M.

And you are hereby directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting, as directed by vote of the Town.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands and Town Seal this fourteenth day of October, 1946, A.D.

WILLIAM S. OLIVER,
C. CARROLL CUNNINGHAM,
WILLIAM H. ROBINSON,
Selectmen of Saugus.

A true copy.
Attest:
W. CHARLES SELLICK, Constable.
October 26, 1946.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Essex, ss. October 26, 1946.

Pursuant hereunto I have served the within Warrant as directed by posting attested copies at the several precincts at least seven days before said meeting.

A true copy.
Attest:

W. CHARLES SELLICK, Constable.

State Election

NOVEMBER 5, 1946

GOVERNOR

Robert F. Bradford(R)	672	473	468	534	389	458	449	579	4022
Maurice J. Tobin (D)..	206	157	215	159	161	234	86	199	1417
Horace Williams (P)..	0	1	1	3	0	1	0	1	7
Horace I. Hillis (SL) ..	10	4	22	9	7	17	4	9	82
Blanks	12	9	19	8	21	8	2	16	95
Total	900	644	725	713	578	718	541	804	5623

LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR

Arthur W. Coolidge(R)	648	462	451	522	369	448	438	545	3884
Paul A. Dever (D)	225	166	237	176	178	237	91	233	1543
Alfred Erickson (P) ..	4	1	2	2	3	2	1	1	16
Francis A. Votano(SL)	6	7	16	5	12	21	4	8	79
Blanks	17	7	19	8	16	10	7	17	101
Total	900	644	725	713	578	718	541	804	5623

SECRETARY

Frederick W. Cook (R)	705	481	495	559	398	467	462	604	4171
Benedict F. Fitzgerald (D)	156	133	186	129	150	210	64	171	1199
Malcolm T. Rowe (SL)	13	10	23	6	16	21	7	8	104
Blanks	26	20	21	19	14	20	8	21	149
Total	900	644	725	713	578	718	541	804	5623

TREASURER

Laurence Curtis (R) ..	681	462	453	525	379	450	444	559	3953
John E. Hurley (D)	189	160	222	163	172	233	87	221	1447
Lawrence Gilfedder (SL)	9	6	20	8	10	13	5	2	73
Charles E. Vaughan (P)	3	2	4	2	2	4	0	3	20
Blanks	18	14	26	15	15	18	5	19	130
Total	900	644	725	713	578	718	541	804	5623

AUDITOR

Thomas J. Buckley(D)	213	179	243	249	190	255	108	254	1691
Russell A. Wood (R)...	651	438	423	439	353	420	417	511	3652
Pearl J. McGlynn (SL)	8	8	18	7	10	16	4	4	75
Robert A. Simmons (P)	5	0	5	3	2	0	2	3	20
Blanks	23	19	36	15	23	27	10	32	185
Total	900	644	725	713	578	718	541	804	5623

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Clarence A. Barnes(R)	661	465	430	508	369	423	430	531	3817
Francis E. Kelly (D) ..	196	157	246	179	171	249	92	242	1532
William F. Oro (SL) ..	10	6	17	6	9	16	4	10	78
Howard B. Rand (P) ..	6	5	5	1	6	1	3	3	30
Blanks	27	11	27	19	23	29	12	18	166
Total	900	644	725	713	578	718	541	804	5623

SENATOR IN CONGRESS

Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr. (R)	692	513	490	569	423	495	463	610	4255
David I. Walsh (D)	174	120	204	125	133	198	72	180	1206
Henning A. Blomen (SL)	10	3	14	5	8	11	3	0	54
Mark R. Shaw (P)	3	1	0	4	1	1	1	5	16
Blanks	21	7	17	10	13	13	2	9	92
Total	900	644	725	713	578	718	541	804	5623

CONGRESSMAN

Angier L. Goodwin(R)	680	489	478	561	404	467	453	582	4114
Anthony M. Roche (D)	167	134	204	134	143	224	79	191	1276
Blanks	53	21	43	18	31	27	9	31	233
Total	900	644	725	713	578	718	541	804	5623

COUNCILLOR

Alfred C. Gaunt (R)	670	466	451	550	377	451	443	559	3967
Robert V. O'Sullivan (D)	191	152	232	143	162	237	90	208	1415
Blanks	39	26	42	20	39	30	8	37	241
Total	900	644	725	713	578	718	541	804	5623

SENATOR

Cornelius F. Haley(R)	753	549	567	608	461	572	489	672	4671
Blanks	147	95	158	105	117	146	52	132	952
Total	900	644	725	713	578	718	541	804	5623

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT

Fred A. Hutchinson (R)	675	492	516	508	385	467	430	559	4032
Frederick Bancroft Willis (R)	665	488	589	561	416	541	419	647	4326
Blanks	460	308	345	357	355	428	233	402	2888
Total	1800	1288	1450	1426	1156	1436	1082	1608	11246

DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Hugh A. Cregg (D-R)	781	560	602	620	467	616	479	689	4814
Blanks	119	84	123	93	111	102	62	115	809
Total	900	644	725	713	578	718	541	804	5623

CLERK OF COURTS

Archie N. Frost (D-R)	759	536	585	597	450	584	474	669	4654
Blanks	141	108	140	116	128	134	67	135	969
Total	900	644	725	713	578	718	541	804	5623

REGISTER OF DEEDS

Thomas F. Duffy (D)	194	180	252	202	187	263	99	248	1625
A. Franklin Priest (R)	648	433	428	470	340	411	421	521	3682
Blanks	58	31	45	41	51	44	21	35	326
Total	900	644	725	713	578	718	541	804	5623

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

William J. O'Leary(D)	190	175	231	165	168	254	114	227	1524
Arthur A. Thompson (R)	650	436	429	509	362	419	411	527	3743
Blanks	60	33	65	39	48	45	16	50	356
Total	900	644	725	713	578	718	541	804	5623

REGISTER OF PROBATE

John James Costello (D)	167	136	200	154	138	206	70	174	1245
Richard J. White, Jr. (R)	679	480	476	529	397	476	460	590	4087
Blanks	54	28	49	30	43	36	11	40	291
Total	900	644	725	713	578	718	541	804	5623

COUNTY TREASURER

James D. Bentley (R)	659	444	441	455	352	425	419	532	3727
John M. Bresnahan (D)	188	174	225	227	174	250	109	233	1580
Blanks	53	26	59	31	52	43	13	39	316
Total	900	644	725	713	578	718	541	804	5623

QUESTION NO. 1 (Old Age)

Yes	293	220	313	248	243	287	184	356	2144
No	358	212	154	254	135	164	227	172	1676
Blanks	249	212	258	211	200	267	130	276	1803
Total	900	664	725	713	578	718	541	804	5623

QUESTION NO. 2 (Labor Union Reports)

Yes	492	332	331	378	274	316	302	358	2783
No	182	129	172	139	159	152	124	188	1245
Blanks	226	183	222	196	145	250	115	258	1595
Total	900	664	725	713	578	718	541	804	5623

QUESTION NO. 3

All Alcoholic

Yes	469	311	439	372	368	410	231	467	3067
No	337	260	214	273	164	236	264	270	2018
Blanks	94	73	72	68	46	72	46	67	538
Total	900	644	725	713	578	718	541	804	5623

Wines and Malt Beverages

Yes	474	309	434	362	359	401	227	453	3019
No	304	243	194	272	158	216	250	254	1891
Blanks	122	92	97	79	61	101	64	97	713
Total	900	644	725	713	578	718	541	804	5623

Package Stores

Yes	570	377	465	434	375	448	297	525	3491
No	221	188	154	191	140	169	191	182	1436
Blanks	109	79	106	88	63	101	53	97	696
Total	900	644	725	713	578	718	541	804	5623

QUESTION NO. 4

Horse Racing

Yes	471	313	420	376	326	394	253	446	2999
No	306	242	195	242	195	230	231	248	1889
Blanks	123	89	110	95	57	94	57	110	735
Total	900	644	725	713	578	718	541	804	5623

Dog Racing

Yes	420	281	378	332	294	357	224	398	2684
No	292	240	200	249	190	228	241	249	1889
Blanks	188	123	147	132	94	133	76	157	1050
Total	900	644	725	713	578	718	541	804	5623

QUESTION NO. 5

Jury Service for Women

Yes	460	302	404	397	323	380	289	469	3024
No	251	210	176	198	147	188	173	175	1518
Blanks	189	132	145	118	108	150	79	160	1081
Total	900	644	725	713	578	718	541	804	5623

A true copy.
Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

Recount of Votes

December 3, 1946

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Arthur W. Coolidge	646	464	447	522	370	449	439	548	3885
Paul A. Dever	229	166	240	176	177	236	90	234	1548
Alfred Erickson	3	1	4	1	4	1	1	1	16
Francis A. Votano	9	7	17	7	12	21	5	8	86
Blanks	13	6	17	8	15	11	6	13	89
Total	900	644	725	714	578	718	541	804	5624

AUDITOR

Thomas J. Buckley	228	181	241	198	191	257	108	256	1660
Russell A. Wood	633	436	425	492	355	419	417	513	3690
Pearl J. McGlynn	9	8	18	8	10	19	5	5	82
Robert A. Simmons	3	0	9	3	2	0	2	3	22
Blanks	27	19	32	13	20	23	9	27	804
Total	900	644	725	714	578	718	541	804	5624

A true copy.
Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

December 16, 1946.

Viola G. Wilson
Town Clerk
Saugus, Massachusetts

Dear Madam:

I wish to resign from the Saugus School Committee, said resignation to take effect immediately.

Yours truly,

DAVID J. LUCEY.

A true copy.
Attest:

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

Town Clerk's Report

To the Citizens of the Town of Saugus:

I hereby submit my report as Collector of Town Clerk's Fees for the year 1946:

250	Marriages at $2.00	$500.00	
	Mortgages	604.00	
	Discharges and Assignments	49.25	
	Certified Copies	36.85	
	Business Certificates	21.50	
	Gasoline Registrations	17.00	
	Miscellaneous	10.00	
	Paid to Town Treasurer		$1,238.60

REPORT OF COLLECTOR OF LICENSE FEES

Liquor	$10,054.00	
Victuallers at $5	165.00	
Entertainment at $5	665.00	
Pool and Bowling	20.00	
Peddlers	15.00	
Junk	20.00	
Auctioneers	6.00	
Miscellaneous	119.00	
Paid to Town Treasurer		$11,064.00

REPORT OF DOG LICENSES

845	Males at $2.00	$1,690.00	
199	Females at $5.00	995.00	
352	Spayed Females at $2.00	704.00	
1	Kennel at $25.00	25.00	
5	Kennels at $50.00	250.00	
1401		$3,664.00	
	Fees retained by Town Clerk	28040	
	Paid to Town Treasurer		$3,383.60

HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSES

240	Fishing Licenses at $2.00	$480.00	
206	Hunting Licenses at $2.00	412.00	
118	Sporting Licenses at $3.25	383.50	
50	Minor and Female Fishing Licenses at $1.25	62.50	
6	Minor Trapping Licenses at $2.25	13.50	
9	Trapping Licenses at $5.25	47.25	
3	Duplicate Licenses at $.50	1.50	
14	Military and Naval Sporting (free)		
28	Old Age Sporting (free)		
		$1,400.25	
	Fees retained by Town Clerk	158.25	
	Paid to Division of Fisheries & Game		$1,242.00

Respectfully submitted,

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Town Clerk.

Report of Collector of Taxes

December 31, 1946.

To the Citizens of Saugus, Mass.:

I hereby submit the Annual Report of the Collector of Taxes, Viola G. Wilson, Collector, in account with the Town of Saugus.

Dr.		
To 1946 Tax Commitment	$862,782.87	
To Interest Collected	212.43	
		$862,995.30
Cr.		
By Payments to Treasurer	$749,053.20	
By Abatements	13,300.35	
By Tax Titles	1,839.06	
By Interest Paid Treasurer	212.43	
		$764,405.04
Uncollected December 31, 1946		$98,590.26
Dr.		
To Balance of 1945 Tax Commitment	$93,392.87	
To Interest Collected	1,437.44	
To Costs Collected	218.70	
		$95,049.01
Cr		
By Payments to Treasurer	$65,608.70	
By Abatements	1,035.55	
By Interest Paid Treasurer	1,437.44	
By Costs Paid Treasurer	218.70	
By Tax Titles, Chap. 60	24,052.72	
By Tax Titles to Town	2,695.90	
		$95,049.01
		$000.00

Dr.		
To Balance of 1944 Tax Commitment	$1,746.21	
To Interest Collected	5.37	
To Costs Collected	4.40	
		$1,755.98
Cr.		
By Payments to Treasurer	$ 79.14	
By Abatements	164.51	
By Tax Titles, Chap. 60	1,502.56	
By Interests Paid Treasurer	5.37	
By Costs Paid Treasurer	4.40	
		$1,755.98
		$000.00
Dr.		
To 1946 Excise Taxes	$19,182.66	
To Interests Collected	11.83	
To Costs Collected	260.05	
		$19,454.54
Cr.		
By Payments to Treasurer	$16,274.72	
By Abatements	554.89	
By Interest Paid Treasurer	11.83	
By Costs Paid Treasurer	260.05	
		$17,101.49
Uncollected December 31, 1946		$2,353.05
Dr.		
To Balance of 1945 Excise	$569.17	
To Add Commitment 1-19-46	184.02	
To Interest Collected	13.57	
To Costs Collected	73.90	
		$840.06
Cr.		
By Payments to Treasurer	$549.69	
By Abatements	213.50	
By Interests Paid Treasurer	13.57	
By Costs Paid Treasurer	73.90	
		840.06
		$000.00
Dr.		
To 1946 Poll Tax Commitment	$10,718.00	
To Costs Collected	193.90	
		$10,911.90
Cr .		
By Payments to Treasurer	$7,096.00	
By Abatments	466.00	
By Military Abatements	2,714.00	
By Costs Paid Treasurer	193.90	
		$10,469.90
Uncollected December 31, 1946		$442.00

Dr.		
To Balance of 1945 Poll Tax Commitment	$354.00	
To Costs Collected	23.80	
To Interest Collected	3.05	
		$380.85
Cr.		
By Payments to Treasurer	$136.00	
By Abatements	218.00	
By Costs Paid Treasurer	23.80	
By Interest Paid Treasurer	3.05	
		$380.85
		$000.00

1946 REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR'S FEES

Tax Certificates	$102.00
Water Lien Releases	126.00
Paid to Town Treasurer	$228.00

Respectfully submitted,

VIOLA G. WILSON,
Collector of Taxes.

Annual Report of Playground Commission

The members of the Saugus Playground Commission submit their annual report to the citizens of Saugus.

Through the cooperation of the School Committee, the following school yards were maintained as play areas for grammar school children: Armitage, Ballard, Cliftondale, Lynnhurst, North Saugus, Roby and Felton, in addition to the Bristow Street Playground. Activities for older boys and girls were conducted at Anna Parker Playground. This is the first year that play areas were maintained at Roby and Felton schools.

More than 950 grammar school children were enrolled at the play areas and 1,000 articles of handiwork were exhibited at the Saugus Youth Fair. Each playground sponsored special events such as picnics, horrible parades, exhibits and beach parties. The 1946 program was ably supervised by Miss Jean Hawkes. Those participating in the events at Ann Parker Playground attended National and American League baseball games in Boston by arrangement of the Commission.

Anna Parker Playground has been graded satisfactorily and the infield was completed so that the Playground Baseball Team made full and complete use of it.

The Commissioners wish to thank all Town officials, and citizens of the Town who have made the 1946 playground season successful.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN M. HOLMES, Chairman;
PAUL CORSON, Secretary;
WALTER R. DECAREAU.

Report of the Trustees
of the
Saugus Free Public Library

We, the Board of Trustees of the Saugus Free Public Library, accept the following report of the Librarian and submit it as our report.

(Signed):

ALBERT R. MAGEE, Chairman;
WILLIAM IRBY, Secretary;
KALER A. PERKINS,
WALTER D. BLOSSOM,
CHAUNCY V. WHITTREDGE,
ELMER H. WATSON.

To the Board of Trustees of the Saugus Free Public Library:

Report for the year ending December 31, 1946:

This year has been marked by two changes in the membership of the Board of Trustees,—Mr. William Irby replacing Mr. Leverett B. Mears, deceased, as secretary of the board, and Mr. Elmer H. Watson taking the place of Mr. Ashton Davis, who resigned. Although we regret the loss of two valued members, we have found our new associates stimulating and enjoyable in their civic-minded interest.

The circulation total for the year 1946 shows an encouraging increase over that of 1945, and presents some interesting trends in the use of the book collection. The enrollment of many returned veterans in nearby schools and colleges, and an accompanying shortage of textbooks and collateral material have caused an increased demand in the public library for books on the social sciences, literature and history. A growing interest among the townspeople in creative arts and crafts has been amply demonstrated by the much greater use of books in the fine arts classification. It is also very encouraging that the circulation of the collections for children and young people shows a slow but gradual upward trend. We have, during the year, added to the number of titles in the High School collection in the Main Library and branches, choosing these books from the newest approved reading list. That the students have appreciated this service has been shown by the constant emptying and refilling of the shelves.

During September, the eighth grade English classes from the Central Junior High School were brought to the library by their respective teachers for instruction and practice in the use of the card catalogue and its relation to the placing of books on the shelves. The boys and girls showed considerable interest in this project, and it is one which we should like to carry out more intensively and thoroughly another year.

Perhaps the most satisfactory change which has been made during 1946 was the removal in October of the East Saugus Branch Library from its former location to its new quarters at the Pumping Station. Through the cooperation of the Board of Selectmen, the Board of Trustees was able to obtain the use of the entire front section of the Pumping Station building, which was previously unoccupied. This part of the building is admirably arranged for such a purpose, and the East Saugus Branch now has a large main room for the use of adult and juvenile readers, plus a smaller room which houses a reference collection and

Retired After Long Service

MRS. ALICE M. LANG

Branch Librarian

Cliftondale Branch Library

December, 1924 — December, 1945

RETIRED 1946

Trustees
- Albert R. Magee, *Chairman*
- William Irby
- Kaler A. Perkins
- Chauncy V. Whittredge
- Elmer H. Watson
- Walter D. Blossom

books for the High School group. At the same time, the hours during which this branch is open to the public were extended from ten and one-half hours to eighteen hours per week. It is hoped that the more favorable location plus the additional hours of service may result in a greater use of the library by the people of this section. Miss Aginess Blossom, East Saugus Branch librarian, is greatly interested in young people, and is endeavoring, by means of a colorful collection of juvenile books, and by frequent story hours, to attract more children to the library. The new quarters are bright and spacious, and if it were possible to find a similar arrangement for the Cliftondale Branch, we should feel that a major problem had been solved.

Book reviews have been given during the year to several of the P.T.A. and women's church groups by the librarian and by Miss Huldah Blackmer, librarian of the Cliftondale Branch. The particular interests of younger groups have been considered in book talks to the Rainbow Club and to the Brownies.

Children's Book Week, in November, was celebrated with colorful exhibits of the fall juvenile books on both the adult reading room and the Boys' and Girls' Room at the Main Library, and at all the branches. Bright new draperies and posters also marked the occasion. Story hours were held at the Cliftondale and East Saugus branches by their respective librarians, and at the Main Library by Mrs. Marjorie Walkey. In every case, the audience was large and enthusiastic. Lists of children's books, suggesting gifts suitable for every age, were available for distribution to parents.

Attendance at the various professional meetings of the Massachusetts Library Association, North Shore Library Club, Boston Book Review Club, and the Round Table of Children's Librarians, has been arranged for some member of the staff whenever possible. In October, the librarian was appointed to the Membership Committee of the Massachusetts Library Association, representing the North Shore Library Club.

Once again, the librarian wishes to thank the members of the Board of Trustees and the staff for their helpful cooperation, and those friends of the library who have assisted in making this a successful year.

Respectfully submitted,

ALICE HAMILTON BOYD,
Librarian.

AMERICAN LIBRARY ASSOCIATION FORM OF STATISTICS—1946
ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1946

Name of Library ..... Saugus Free Public Library
Town ..... Saugus, Massachusetts
Librarian ..... Mrs. Alice Hamilton Boyd
Date of Founding 1887
Population Served 16,662
Library Appropriation Per Capita ..... $.714
Total Number of Agencies 6

Consisting of:

Main Library	North Saugus Branch
Cliftondale Branch	Lynnhurst Branch
East Saugus Branch	High School

Hours Open for Lending and Reference:

Main Library	52
Cliftondale	21
East Saugus	18

North Saugus	4
Lynnhurst	3
High School	828 (hours per school year)

Book Stock:

Volumes at beginning of year	27,101
Volumes added	1862
Volumes withdrawn	729
Total	28,234

Circulation Record:

Main Library	43,195
Cliftondale	22,534
East Saugus	7,961
North Saugus	4,673
Lynnhurst	3,590
High School	3,209
Total	85,162

Registration Record—1946:

Main Library	768
Cliftondale	764
East Saugus	117
North Saugus	33
Lynnhurst	4
Total	1686

Registration Record Totals:

Main Library	2999
Cliftondale	1401
East Saugus	651
North Saugus	254
Lynnhurst	120
Total	5425

Trustees:

Albert R. Magee, Chairman
William Irby, Secretary
Kaler A. Perkins
Walter D. Blossom
Chauncey V. Whittredge
Elmer H. Watson

Staff:

Alice Hamilton Boyd, Librarian
Marjorie P. Walkey, First Assistant
Huldah Blackmer, Second Assistant and Branch Librarian, Cliftondale Branch Library
Aginess I. Blossom, Branch Librarian, East Saugus Branch Library
Maude Moses, Branch Librarian, North Saugus Branch Library
Anna J. Swanson, Branch Librarian, Lynnhurst Branch Library

Hour Workers:

Claire Duffy
Ruth Garniss
Phyllis Woodfall
Jack Shapiro
Walter Hanson

Report of the Board of Assessors

1946

Number of Polls Assesssed	5,343
Number of Persons Paying on Property	6,744

SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY ASSESSED

Number of Dwelling Houses Assessed	3,853
Number of Acres of Land Assessed	4,478
Number of Acres of Land Exempted	1,169
Number of Acres of Land Special Assessment	412.3
Number of Horses Assessed	77
Number of Cows Assessed	222
Number of Bulls	3
Number of Heifers	1
Number of Swine	939
Number of Fowl	20,981
Number of Sheep	2
All Others	588
Number of Dogs to Be Registered	1,373

Males.....856 Females.....223 Spayed.....294

VALUE OF REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY

Land, Exclusive of Buildings	$ 3,564,507.00
Buildings, Exclusive of Land	13,126,905.00
Personal Property	1,316,191.00
Total Valuation of Assessed Estate	$18,007,603.00

PUBLIC PROPERTY EXEMPT FROM TAXATION

Final Taking of Unredeemed Real Estate	$ 154,065.00
Town Property	2,368,918.00
Religious Societies	498,600.00
Civic, Charitable, Historic and Literary Societies	30,550.00
City of Lynn, Park Division	160.00
City of Melrose	150.00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts "Breakheart"	57,730.00
United States of America "Post Office"	78,140.00

SPECIAL VALUATION

City of Lynn "Water Shed"	$30,650.00
Tax Committed to Town Accountant June 18, 1946	1,455.88

Tax Rate per One Thousand
$47.50

BASIS OF TAXATION

Town Appropriations	$1,025,814.72
Deficits Due to Abatements in Excess of Overlay of Prior Years	7,383.08
State Tax	12,600.00
State Audit of Municipal Accounts	1,730.77
State Examination of Retirement System	256.57
Hospital Care for Civil War Veterans	120.00
Smoke Inspection Service	159.78
Charles River Basin	1,511.80
Metropolitan Parks Reservation	4,741.57
Nantasket Beach Maint.	449.11
Boulevards	103.15
Underestimate	9,49
County Tax	29,721.69
Underestimate	312.14

Tuberculosis Hospital	9,317.86
Overlay	29,700.27
Gross Amount to Be Raised	$1,123,932.00
Less Town Income, Overestimates, and Transfers of Available Funds	257,866.84
Net Amount to Be Raised by Taxation on Polls and Property	$866,065.16
Net Amount Raised by Taxation on Polls and Property:	
On Polls	$ 10,686.00
On Personal Property	62,519.07
On Real Estate	792,842.07
Gain in Fractions	18.02
Total Taxes Levied on Polls and Property	$866,065.16

TAXES OF STATE, COUNTY AND TOWN COMMITTED TO THE TAX COLLECTOR

January 30, 1946	On Sewers	$ 48.75
	Interest	.64
January 30, 1946	On Sewers	55.50
	Interest	.69
March 5, 1946	On Sewers	64.25
	Interest	.66
March 20, 1946	On Sewers	87.57
March 26, 1946	On Polls	10,686.00
April 8, 1946	On Sewers	205.00
	Interest	4.16
April 15, 1946	On Sewers	42.21
	Interest	.84
April 15, 1946	On Sewers	58.85
June 5, 1946	On Sewers	27.00
June 6, 1946	On Sewers	42.36
June 7, 1946	On Sewers	10.43
June 7, 1946	On Sewers	37.00
June 18, 1946	On Sewers	3,722.79
	Interest	798.18
June 18, 1946	On Personal Estate	62,519.95
June 18, 1946	On Real Estate	792,859.21
June 18, 1946	On Water Liens	2,307.97
July 18, 1946	On Sewer	64.00
August 12, 1946	On Sewer	49.35
September 24, 1946	On Sewer	44.40
September 30, 1946	On Sewer	36.72
September 30, 1946	On Sewer	52.27
October 15, 1946	On Sewer	52.48
October 18, 1946	On Sewer	147.00
October 18, 1946	On Sewer	42.96
October 21, 1946	On Sewer	42.00
October 23, 1946	On Sewer	70.15
October 26, 1946	On Sewer	66.44
October 28, 1946	On Sewer	42.00
October 30, 1946	On Sewer	42.61
October 30, 1946	On Sewer	46.30
October 30, 1946	On Sewer	69.07
November 12, 1946	On Sewer	85.76
	Interest	.39
December 7, 1946	On Sewer	141.47
	Interest	1.00

December 11, 1946	On Sewer	42.00
	Interest	.28
December 18, 1946	On Polls	32.00
December 18, 1946	On Real Estate	574.77
December 18, 1946	On Personal Estate	12.35
December 23, 1946	On Sewer	85.83
	Interest	.67
April 26, 1946	On Estate of Deceased Person	505.74
April 27, 1946	On Estate of Deceased Person	507.07
July 15, 1946	On Estate of Deceased Person	104.30

WARRANT TO TREASURER

June 20, 1946	State Taxes	$21,682.24
	County Taxes	39,351.69

ABATEMENTS

Levy of 1917 to 1944	Tax Titles	Real Estate	$7,765.02
Levy of 1935	Tax Title	Real Estate	7.14
Levy of 1935–1936	Tax Title	Real Estate	2,119.72
Levy of 1936	Tax Title	Real Estate	7.20
Levy of 1937	Tax Title	Real Estate	8.30
Levy of 1936	Tax Title	Real Estate	68.00
Levy of 1937–1944	Tax Title	Real Estate	167.10
Levy of 1939	Tax Title	Real Estate	6.68
Levy of 1939–1940–1942	Tax Title	Real Estate	105.76
Levy of 1940–1943	Tax Title	Real Estate	61.19
		Water Lien	84.77
Levy of 1941	Tax Title	Real Estate	215.25
To settle an account in full			37.50
To settle an account in full			700.00
To settle an account in full			452.22
To settle an account in full			33.13

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Levy of 1938	Real Estate	$ 10.35
Levy of 1939	Real Estate	11.23
Levy of 1941	Polls	4.00
Levy of 1942	Polls	4.00
Levy of 1943	Poll	2.00
Levy of 1944	Polls	10.00
Levy of 1944	Real Estate	216.67
Levy of 1944	Sewer	11.77
	Interest on Sewer	3.29
Levy of 1945	Polls	232.00
Levy of 1945	Personal Estate	157.63
Levy of 1945	Real Estate	1,151.90
Levy of 1945	Water Lien	48.25
Levy of 1946	Polls	3,280.00
Levy of 1946	Personal Estate	506.50
Levy of 1946	Real Estate	14,199.71

MOTOR VEHICLES ASSESSED

Levy of 1945	90
Levy of 1946	4,574

ASSESSED VALUATION OF MOTOR VEHICLES

Levy of 1945	$ 9,730.00
Levy of 1946	681,790.00

MOTOR EXCISE COMMITTED TO TAX COLLECTOR

July 1, 1946	$5,582.49
July 17, 1946	6,475.49
August 8, 1946	1,892.45
August 30, 1946	490.47
September 16, 1946	1,399.33
September 30, 1946	381.86
October 26, 1946	948.70
November 15, 1946	1,175.04
December 6, 1946	398.34

ABATEMENTS

Levy of 1945	$203.50
Levy of 1946	634.10

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE H. MASON,
FRANK EVANS,
ALBION RICE,

Board of Assessors
of the Town of Saugus.

Annual Report of the Police Department

January 1, 1947.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

It again becomes my pleasure to present to you my sixteenth annual report of the Police Department, for the year ending December 31, 1946.

The Department consists of a Chief, one Captain, one Lieutenant, twelve regular Patrolmen and two Reserve Officers.

There are also forty-nine Special Police Officers, eighteen of whom are equipped with uniforms and are capable of doing regular police work in emergencies. There are the Watchmen of the Lynn Water Sheds, who are Special Police Officers. There are six in this group.

The Roster of the Police Department is as follows:

Chief: John T. Stuart.

Captain: Henry P. Wheaton.

Lieutenant: Roland E. Mansfield.

Regular Patrolmen: William MacDougall, Joseph A. Lambert, Jr., James F. Maher, Thomas F. Spencer, William F. Cahill, Ernest A. Dunham, Carl G. W. Pearson, Edgar T. McKenney, Rosario A. Bucchiere, Edward F. Newbury, Walter J. Elsmore, Fred Forni.

Reserve Officers: Anthony McNeil and George Riley.

Daily reports of Officers show: Assaults 16, women and girls accosted 5, larceny 126, breaks 51, articles lost 54, articles found 55, windows broken 51, property damage 18, autos stolen 20, autos recovered 27, drunken persons 67, disturbances 51, domestic troubles 42, prowlers and peepers 30, missiles thrown 39, dogs lost 121, dogs found 96, bitten by dogs 33, birds and animals killed by dogs 22, barking dogs 54, animals killed 59, persons missing 47, persons found 49, holes in sidewalks and streets 13, playing in street 23, notified or investigated for other authori-

ties 120, doors and windows found open 220, lights found burning 27, conveyed to hospitals 232, conveyed from hospitals 49, fires discovered and responded to 33, all others 1,114, investigations 659. Total: 3,623 complaints.

During the year there were 503 arrests made. Of this number 34 were females and 12 were juveniles. There were also 305 arrests made for out-of-town police.

The arrests were for the following offences: Assault and battery 14, town by-law 8, allowing an improper person to operate a motor vehicle 2, assault on a police officer 7, drunkenness 197, operating unregistered and uninsured motor vehicles 7, operating under the influence of liquor 50, operating without license 9, leaving scene of accident without making identity known 11, operating at excessive speed 100, larceny 5, operating so as to endanger the lives and safety of the public 9, operating after suspension of license 2, trespassing 1, breach of the peace 1, breaking and entering in the daytime 1, manslaughter 1, safe keeping 1, breaking and entering in the night time 6, truant 4, false alarm of fire 4, rape 1, malicious destruction of property 3, fornication 3, non-support 3, no certificate of registration on person 2, neglected children 5, violation of auto laws 28, evading fares 2, idle and disorderly 1, larceny (delinquent) 1, carnal abuse of female child 1, adultery 7, open and gross lewdness 4, failing to stop for officer in uniform 2, larceny of motor vehicle 5, cruelty to dumb animals 3, maintaining a gambling nuisance 2, setting up and promoting a lottery 2.

Total amount of fines collected from defendants by the Saugus Trial Justice Court and the Lynn District Court, $6,371.00.

The Department has not enough officers for the required amount of police protection demanded by a town of this size, and this year, of all years, finds this town as well as other communities in such a financial condition that I do not deem it advisable at this time to ask for any additional men.

I would like to inform you that living conditions are high and after the withholding tax is taken out of the officer's pay he receives between forty and forty-nine dollars a week. This is inadequate for an officer to support his family properly. The most noticeable feature of this wage condition is the difference in pay of the superior officers of the Department and the patrolmen. The superior officers of this Department are much lower paid than any other department of comparable size in the State. This condition should be changed. After all, there are responsibilities with all executive positions and their salaries should be increased to compare with other departments.

Again I am asking for the revision of the By-Laws in as much as this Department cannot enforce any traffic conditions that may exist in the town. I would like to suggest that the Traffic Rules and Regulations that were compiled by the State Department of Public Works and I in 1938 be put into effect at once.

I would like to recommend that the reserve list be abolished which at the present time consists of two officers, and have it replaced with an intermittent list of officers. This would improve conditions in the Department and give better police service to the citizens of the town.

In conclusion, I wish to thank all those who have assisted me in the past for the efficiency our Police Department enjoys.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN T. STUART,
Chief.

Report of the Board of Public Welfare

To the Citizens of the Town of Saugus:

The Board of Public Welfare submits its annual report for the year ending December 31, 1946, on its several divisions:

TEMPORARY AID

Appropriated at the Annual Town Meeting		$15,000.00
Special Town Meeting		1,000.00
		$16,000.00
Refunds		112.73
		$16,112.73
Accounts Receivable:		
From State of Massachusetts	$2,088.57	
From Cities and Towns	1,128.11	
From Individuals	441.00	
		3,657.68
		$19,770.41
Expenditures for 1946		16,111.91
		$3,658.50
Total Appropriation		$16,000.00
Accounts Receivable	$3,657.68	
Returned to Surplus	.82	
		3,658.50
Net Cost to the Town for 1946		$12,341.50

The General Electric Company went out on strike January 15, 1946, and employees were unemployed for ten weeks. This department was compelled to aid many of the strikers, an expense which was unforeseen, and necessitated the Board to request additional funds at a Special Town Meeting.

In addition to aiding strikers residing in Saugus, there were a considerable number of cases aided in neighboring cities and towns with Saugus settlements, which expense is charged to this town. This burden on the town caused our funds to be exhausted with an outstanding debt of approximately $4,300.00 unpaid bills.

Due to the State Standard Budget which is being used on Temporary Aid cases, as well as Aid to Dependent Children and Old Age Assistance cases, it is the opinion of this Board that the expenditures for 1947 will equal or exceed that of 1946.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK P. GAROFANO,
Agent.

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

The total expenditure for Aid to Dependent Children during 1946 was $14,995.39 of which $1,019.49 was for administration. Following is a chart which gives a true picture of Aid to Dependent Children allowances

made to residents of Saugus during 1946 and the breakdown of reimbursements claimed from their respective sources:

Month	Payroll	Federal Grant	State's Share	Local	Cases
January	$ 880.95	$167.35	$293.65	$419.95	13
February	1,114.75	174.82	371.59	568.34	14
March	816.37	155.35	272.12	388.90	13
April	816.97	155.35	272.32	389.30	13
May	892.63	182.20	297.54	412.89	15
June	1,113.97	216.81	371.32	525.84	15
July	1,216.79	234.74	405.60	576.45	16
August	1,274.29	227.35	424.76	622.18	15
September	1,390.14	239.35	463.38	687.41	16
October	1,458.70	349.33	486.23	623.14	16
November	1,531.12	355.70	510.37	665.05	16
December	1,469.22	369.91	489.74	609.57	17
	$13,975.90	$2,828.26	$4,658.62	$6,489.02	

The following is a summary of expenditures and reimbursements received from their respective sources:

Expenditures		Reimbursements	
A. D. C. payrolls	**$13,975.90**	Federal—Aid	$2,828.26
Administration	1,019.49	**From State—Aid**	4,658.62
Total Expenditures	$14,995.39		$7,486.88
		Federal—Administration	318.84
			$7,805.72

Total Expenditures for 1946	$14,995.39
Total Reimbursements for 1946	7,805.72
Net Cost to the Town for 1946	$7,189.67

Prior to October 1, 1946, the Federal Government reimbursed on Aid to Dependent Children aid ½ up to $18.00 per month for the first eligible child and ½ of $12.00 for each additional eligible child. This reimbursement was increased as of October 1, 1946, so that we now receive ½ up to $24.00 per month for the first eligible child and ½ of $15.00 for each additional eligible child, plus $1.50 for each eligible child.

During November, 1946, our payroll increased $232.82 when the State Standard of Budget was revised and became mandatory on Aid to Dependent Children cases.

It is the opinion of this Board that the expenditures for the year 1947 may show a slight increase due to the liberalization of the State Standard of Budget.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK P. GAROFANO,
Agent.

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

The total expenditure for Old Age Assistance during 1946 was $123,218.04 of which $4,404.90 was for administration and $3,671.48 was paid to other municipalities for aid rendered Saugus Settled cases. The following chart gives a true picture of Old Age Assistance granted to

residents of Saugus during 1946 and the breakdown of reimbursements claimed from their respective sources:

Month	Payroll	Federal Grant	State's Share	Other Municipalities	Saugus' Share	Cases
January	$9,004.92	$3,613.51	$3,907.84	$167.84	$1,315.73	203
February ..	8,810.48	3,674.91	3,695.20	184.09	1,256.28	205
March	8,969.65	3,706.65	3,784.15	243.01	1,235.84	206
April	9,347.23	3,803.16	4,014.05	233.89	1,296.13	211
May	9,642.98	3,814.82	4,232.12	224.03	1,372.01	214
June	9,391.18	3,827.60	3,997.32	210.73	1,355.53	212
July	9,615.22	3,897.08	4,117.21	210.38	1,390.55	213
August	10,248.04	4,034.80	4,457.52	253.62	1,502.10	218
September ..	10,307.33	4,050.83	4,520.04	223.94	1,512.52	223
October	9,787.67	4,758.75	3,619.19	171.75	1,237.98	220
November ..	10,561.20	5,010.31	3,979.46	217.45	1,353.98	225
December ..	10,747.75	5,031.26	4,069.03	282.50	1,364.96	224
	$116,433.65	$49,223.68	$48,393.13	$2,623.23	$16,193.61	.....

The following is a summary of the income received from their respective sources:

Federal Grants—Aid	$49,223.68
Federal Grants—Administration	1,533.65
State Share—Aid	48,393.13
Other Municipalities	2,623.23
State Meal Tax	3,569.27
Recoveries on Bond & Mortgage	102.21
Total Recoveries on Old Age Assistance for 1946	$105,445.17
Total expenditures for 1946	$123,218.04
Total Recoveries for 1946	105,445.17
Net Cost to the Town for 1946	$17,772.87

The following table shows children's exemptions as provided by law:

Single child in home of applicant	$1,500 year net
Single child living apart	1,750 year net
Married child, spouse self-supporting, no dependents	2,750 year net
Married child, spouse dependent	2,750 year net
Married child, each additional dependent	500 year net

All contributions are based on 1/3 of the amount over and above these exemptions.

There are several bills in the legislature pertaining to changes in Old Age Assistance laws, viz:

1. To do away with citizenship requirement so that an alien is eligible.
2. Sixty at Sixty—which would grant all recipients $600 a year at the age of 60 or over.
3. Six different bills to increase the minimum allowance.
4. To take the State reimbursement out of the General Fund and make it a revolving fund to be used the same as the Federal Grants in Old Age Assistance.

If any of the above bills are passed by the legislature it will mean a considerable increase in the expenditure of Old Age Assistance for 1947.

During 1946 the State changed its State Standard of Budget twice. On June 1, 1946, the adoption of a new standard of food allowance and recent rise in cost of fuel for heating purposes necessitated an increase of approximately $588.11 a month. The revised budget effective November 1, 1946, again increased the budget approximately $633.99 a month, making a total increase of about $1,222.10 a month with the above increase.

On October 1, 1946, the Federal Government increased its reimbursements from one-half of $40 per case to one-half of $45 per case with an additional $2.50 on each individual case. In addition to the above the Federal Government increased its share of administration from two-thirds of 5 percent to 50 percent of the total administration. This reduces the cost of aid and administration to the town by several thousand dollars.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK P. GAROFANO,
Agent.

INFIRMARY

Appropriated at the Annual Town Meeting		$5,500.00
Special Town Meeting		1,000.00
		$6,500.00
Expenditures for 1946		$6,457.26
Returned to Surplus		$42.74
Income from Sales	$140.00	
Income from Lease of Land (Revolver & Rifle Club)	1.00	
Income from Board and Room	470.00	
		611.00
Net Cost to the Town		$5,846.26

The Board of Public Welfare again voted not to plow and harrow the 14 acres allotted previous years for Victory Gardens as they felt enough people would not take advantage of it, but the same amount of land was left available for gardens.

There were several notices placed with the press and previous holders of garden plots were notified by letter that the land was again available, but they would have to provide for their own plowing and harrowing. Approximately 35 persons took advantage of this offer and many reported their gardens were very successful. Land will be available for home gardens in 1947 and it is the hope of this Board that the townspeople will again take advantage of this opportunity. Plowing and harrowing must again be provided by those using the plots.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK P. GAROFANO, Agent;
GUSTAVE A. ANDERSON, Chairman;
ERNEST M. HATCH, Secretary;
HARRY F. WENTWORTH, Member.

Report of Board of Selectmen

To the Citizens of the Town of Saugus:

Your Board of Selectmen herewith submits its report for the year of 1946. Due to space limitations, we attempt only to cover the major problems and decisions which have arisen during the year.

LAND SALES

Perhaps our largest number of contacts have been with the citizens who have applied for the purchase of town-owned, tax possession land. The financial return to the town has been fair but it must be realized that these possessions seldom bring in the amount due the town. Our prime purpose has been to transfer this property from the non-revenue producing column back to the listing of the Assessors in order to obtain revenue. During the year the Board established the policy of advertising the sales and setting aside one night a month for the purpose of publicly selling to the highest bidder. It is our hope that this policy will continue in order that all citizens have the opportunity of obtaining land in which they may be interested. We call your attention to the amount derived from these sales, it being shown in the report of the Treasurer as income from tax possession sales.

LAND SALES TO VETERANS

During the year, your Board put in practice, the policy of selling to veterans, including those of the Merchant Marine, land in all sections of the town at a rate of $1 per lot. The only restriction has been that each veteran be sold only sufficient land to comfortably establish homes or businesses. This policy had long been recommended, but until this year no actual move had been made in this direction.

POLICE

In 1946 your Board sponsored in Town Meeting the new Fire and Police Retirement Act, enabling men to retire at the age of sixty-five, and under its provisions Patrolmen James P. Sullivan and C. Herbert Berrett were retired. We pay tribute to the long and understanding service rendered by both of these men. We call your attention to the report of the Chief of the Department found elsewhere.

FIRE

Reverting to the town's former policy of having the Fire Department administered by a body other than the Selectmen, we appointed four men to serve with the head of the department to operate this agency of town affairs. Their report is also entered separately.

ACCOUNTING

We would be remiss in our work if we did not at this time make note of changes in this office. The town as a whole and the Board in particular lost in 1946 probably the most qualified man in our entire financial organization. We pay deep tribute to the late Ralph Quirk, the Town Accountant for many years. Certainly no more could be said than to repeat the opinion of an officer of the Commonwealth when he said, "There was no better accounting system or set of books in the State than those of Ralph Quirk. His methods had placed Saugus foremost in the State as far as the operation of the Account's Department was concerned." We feel confident that the work done by Mr. Quirk to organize and operate his office will stand for many years. On transfer from the Public Works Department, Carl Chapman is acting as Accountant under a provisional appointment.

WATER

While no actual construction will start until the spring of 1947, to avoid working frozen ground, the much discussed connection of the town water system with that of the Metropolitan District Water Commission has been instituted. A change has been made in the location of the standpipe in North Saugus to gain ten feet in elevation, thus increasing pressure. Contracts have been awarded for the construction of the standpipe and for the purchase of materials necessary to connect from the Saugus-Revere line to the junction of Lincoln Avenue and Central Street. The Board is currently working on the tie-in from Franklin Square to Hamilton Street, awaiting permission of the City of Lynn to carry lines through Boston Street in that city. It is the intention of the Board that the construction on Lincoln Avenue be done under private contract for reasons outlined in our comments on the Public Works Department. A contract has also been signed with the M. D. C. to supply water at a volume which will eliminate additional pumping.

LICENSES

In order to properly set up a system of licensing in Saugus, we have made changes in the expiration date of practically all licenses issued by the Board. Formerly licenses were renewed on expiration which might be at any time during the year. All licenses from now on will expire on December thirty-first of the year in which they are granted. This tends to simplify clerical work and records and the town should know at the end of each year just what enterprises are being carried on and what revenue may be expected. Adjustments, made to increase revenue, were made on practically all fees charged for licenses. These are shown under the report of the Collector of Selectmen's License Fees. It is the request of the Board to the Town Meeting to change the dates and fees on those licenses covered by Town By-Laws.

PUBLIC WORKS

Complete details of the operation of the Department are shown in both the report of the Acting Superintendent and the Treasurer. However, as this seems to be the most discussed division of our activities, we take a good share of our report to bring out many pertinent facts.

Seldom, if ever, has a full Board of Selectmen devoted as much time to studies and conditions in this department as has this Board. Detailed examination of equipment, systems employed, records, personnel and inspections on the actual work in process have consumed many months. At best the department is still in poor shape regarding equipment, storage room and buildings. We well realize that it is the popular sport among those interested in town affairs to find fault with our Public Works Department. However, if as much time and more thought were given to constructive and helpful criticism as has been devoted to tearing the division apart, by many supposed authorities, including those who created some of the conditions, the department and the town would function much better. Comments of some remind us of the poem describing how difficult it is to build and how outnumbered the builders are by the wreckers.

Your Board has personally viewed every major job undertaken this year and when we consider what equipment is on hand we are not dissatisfied on too many scores. Old and obsolete equipment, in some cases of an age where manufacturers no longer make replacement parts, has greatly hampered the efforts of the crew. Individual trucks that consume quarts of oil per day are of no value to the department, yet they are operating every day of the week for lack of money to repair or replace. It is safe to state that there are not more than six vehicles, including a roller, which can be profitably operated. These must be used on all phases

IN MEMORIAM

RALPH QUIRK

WHEREAS—
Almighty God in His infinite plan has called RALPH QUIRK to his eternal reward; and

WHEREAS—
RALPH QUIRK gave so willingly of his life and talents to be of service as Town Accountant both to his fellowman and to the Town; and

WHEREAS—
His service was so like that of the Master . . .

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED—
That the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Saugus, in session this second day of December, 1946, give thanks for the life and service of RALPH QUIRK and hereby vote that these resolutions be spread upon its official records and that a copy of the same be sent to his bereaved widow and children.

WILLIAM S. OLIVER, Chairman;
C. CARROLL CUNNINGHAM,
WILLIAM H. ROBINSON.

of the work covering streets, water and sewer work. We feel that at least thirty per cent of the time of the divisions has been lost due to improper and poor equipment. These claims are no reflection on the employees. Too many citizens feel that once equipment is purchased that it lasts forever. When we are forced to operate equipment that was purchased some fifteen or twenty years back, we know it to be false economy. It therefore is the unanimous recommendation of the Board that all trucks more than five years old be disposed of and replaced with modern ones. This we propose to do under either a road machinery account or bond issue to be retired in three years, at which time the process would again be repeated. This would mean that every three years we would replace any or all equipment, except the seldom used. When you consider that it is costing in the neighborhood of $12,000 a year to maintain obsolete and broken down trucks, we feel this to be the proper solution. Details covering the equipment on hand is included in Mr. Chapman's report.

There are on hand many tasks delegated by the Town Meeting to be done in the Public Works. These, together with ordinary maintenance on streets, sewers, water and drains, constitute more work than can be accomplished in 1947 by the present number of employees. It is the feeling of the Board that no additional work be allocated us, excepting those tasks which are actual emergencies or where it is financially expedient to spend time and money to save present installations.

While new employees have been added to the department in 1946, the increase is practically nil due to retirements and changes in personnel. A new departure this year limits to fifteen days, the time which an employee may be absent due to illness. Governed in all cases by the provisions of Civil Service, we feel that personnel has taken a definite upswing this year and should continue to improve under proper supervision.

Steps must soon be taken to provide proper housing for the number of pieces of equipment which presently are stored in locations other than the Public Works property or left outdoors for lack of garage space. This applies if the Department is forced to continue operations with present equipment. With new contemplated vehicles, consolidation might be had but we have at present only one heated structure, and that only in fair condition.

The Department was most fortunate in 1946 in being able to carry on a fairly central location for the disposal of rubbish. We appreciate the inconveniences to which the residents of Raddin Terrace were subjected. In this location we carried on dumping operations from May to December and accomplished the dual purpose of eliminating a mosquito breeding bog and a future extension of Raddin Terrace to Staff Road (formerly Ash Street). It must yet be completed by completely covering with gravel. No funds are as yet available for this purpose and we feel that this should properly be included yearly in the Rubbish and Ashes Account. We are presently using the lower Ballard Street location for disposal, but this constitutes a long and expensive haul. A more central location, properly controlled, would increase the number of loads which could be carried daily. We have been forced to operate up to four trucks a day at times for this purpose. This takes men away from other tasks and means that some other job must be neglected. We are not at this writing making comment on the proposal to have the work done by contract, detailed work not yet being completed.

No Chapter 90 road construction work was undertaken during 1946 for the reason that the Commonwealth did not award its bids until late in December. Those contracts will be carried out in 1947 using 1946 funds. For some unknown reason the Commonwealth rejected, at least

temporarily, construction on upper Central Street. However, the town appropriation is being carried on the books for possible use in 1947 along with the start of work in the Golden Hills section and the completion of the Woodbury Avenue—Hesper Street, contracts on the latter two having been awarded. The Board is unanimous in its recommendation that the major new project for Chapter 90 work in 1947 be lower Ballard Street, from Dudley Street to the Salem Turnpike, including the removal or replacement of the old bridge.

It is the intention of the Board that in 1947 our present system of surface drains be completely gone over, this not having been done since the days of the W.P.A. when several hundred men were available for the same amount of work which is expected from the present handful employed.

The Board is highly pleased with the response given on work projected under the so-called "Betterment Act" whereby the section receiving the improvement pays a share of the cost of new street construction. This system is in effect in many neighboring towns and cities and is one method whereby a reflection is had in the tax rate. At present the whole town pays for something which no one but the abuttors use. It is our proposal that a proper job be done and one-half the cost be assessed back to the abuttors, payment to be spread over a period of ten years. This enables the town to project its street program over a period of years without having to provide enormous sums of money to benefit a scattered few. It has been known to happen in Saugus that as much as $4000 has been expended in order to provide some improvement for one or two properties. This represents, in the case of water, some hundreds of years before returns are seen on expenditures. Certainly, the adoption of the mentioned act or some substitute would help to decrease the overall expenditures and show some reflection in our tax levy.

The Department is currently under the supervision of Charles C. DeFranzo, formerly foreman of the sewer division. He is on a temporary assignment, under Civil Service regulations still being eligible to return to his former position. It is not the intention of the Board to create a position of assistant to the superintendent. We deem it more important to concentrate on the bookkeeping and clerical organizaion to properly maintain the records of the department. Situations have been found where no knowledge has been recorded on water installations, bill collections and record analysis. These are not matters which have occurred in recent years but have carried through from many years ago. Efforts are currently being made to correct and record these situations.

At the risk of being boring, we revert to the equipment problem. It has been said that "you can close your eyes to the sunshine, but the sun still shines." We find the problem of a like nature. Unless drastic steps are taken to correct a situation we know still exists, we can neither progress nor can the citizens expect top efficiency from a department which has been allowed to disintegrate, through lack of proper equipment to fill the many and varied services required of it.

We take this opportunity to express our appreciation to the many town departments and employees who have assisted us during the year and to the citizens who have been both helpful and patient. We have made efforts to attempt to satisfy as many as possible, fully realizing that what affects one of you affects each of us.

WILLIAM S. OLIVER.
C. CARROLL CUNNINGHAM,
WILLIAM H. ROBINSON,
Board of Selectmen.

January 13, 1947.

Report of the Planning Board

To the Citizens of the Town of Saugus:

Your Planning Board herewith submits its report for the year of 1946. The board organized in March with Jack A. Meeker as Chairman and Clerk, H. Warren Butler, William H. Robinson, Walter L. Roy and James O. Smith. The board accepted with regret the resignations of Mr. Robinson and Mr. Smith, who due to the pressure of business in the Selectmen's office felt that it would not be fair to either the remaining members or to the town to continue on this Board. Mr. Edward E. Berrett and Mr. George A. Smith were appointed at a joint meeting of the Planning Board and the Board of Selectmen to fill out the above terms.

This Board has had one of its busiest years, and held the usual hearings on all articles pertaining to zoning found in the Town Warrant. Considerable study and investigation has been made regarding a change of government for the Town of Saugus and we recommend that the Plan filed as House Bill #1660 by Speaker Frederick Bancroft Willis be adopted.

At the request of the Board of Selectmen a thorough study was made of the voting precincts of the Town of Saugus. After careful consideration and investigation the Board made the following recommendations: To increase the number of precincts from eight to ten, and to change the present precincts' lines as shown on the map presented to the Board of Selectmen.

In conclusion we extend our appreciation to the many citizens and town departments who have assisted us during the past year.

EDWARD E. BERRETT, Chairman;
H. WARREN BUTLER,
WALTER L. ROY,
GEORGE A. SMITH,
JACK A. MEEKER, Secretary;
Planning Board.

Report of the Engineering Department

Mr. Carl E. Chapman
Acting Superintendent
Public Works Department
Saugus, Massachusetts

Dear Sir:

The following is a report of the work completed by the Engineering Department in the year 1946:

Scope of Work

Surveys, drains, water, Assessors' plans, street lines and grades, releases, Public Works estimates, plans and drawings.

Street Lines and Grades at Request of Abutters

Edison Street, Baker Street, Dudley Street, Lincoln Avenue and Fairview Avenue.

Releases

Basswood Avenue, Stone Street, Intervale Avenue, Gates Road, Greystone Road, Fairchild Avenue, Marion Road, Union Street, Wonderland Avenue, Juliette Road, Cherry Street, Hobson Street, Hillcrest Street, Hurd Avenue, Pelham Street, Clement Road, Gates Road, Greatwood Road, Bridge Street, Westford Street, Tuttle Street, Old County Road, Glen Park Avenue, Glendale Avenue.

Drains

Work on drains was performed on the following streets:

Lincoln Avenue	Denver Street
Hayden Road	Centennial Avenue

Plans, Drawings and Tracings

Many plans, tracing and drawings were made during the year, consisting of Land Court records and plans on file at the Registry of Deeds in Salem revising assessment sheets for the Assessors and preparing drawings for other departments.

Acceptance Plans

Plans and profiles for the following streets were made for acceptance:

Basswood Avenue	Clement Road
Fairchild Avenue	Westford Street
Hobson Street	Glen Park Avenue
Pelham Street	Intervale Avenue
Bridge Street	Cherry Street
Glendale Avenue	Hurd Avenue
Stone Street	Gates Road
Wonderland Avenue	Tuttle Street
Hillcrest Street	

Sewer

Plans and profile were made for the following streets: Riverside Court, Vincent Street, Stocker Street, Summer Street for a distance of 500 lin. ft., Lincoln Court, Pearson Street construction, Lincoln Avenue from Myrtle Street to Cliftondale Square.

Water

Plans and estimates of the following streets: School Street extension, Fiske Road, Prospect Avenue, Basswood Avenue, Stevens Avenue and Pearson Street.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY C. SEAVER,

Acting Town Engineer.

Report of the Superintendent of Public Works

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Town Hall
Saugus, Massachusetts.

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit to you the annual report of the Public Works Department for the year 1946. At the close of business December 31, 1946, the various divisions of the department had unpaid bills as follows: Highway Division,, $932.02; Water Maintenance, $627.81; Engineers, $1.50. The divisions returned to the Surplus Account the following amounts: Public Works Expense, $1.10; Sewer Division, $.20; Highway Division, $8.94; Machinery Account, $95.75; Water Extension, $1,320.85; Hydrants, Gates and Meters, $2,148.66; a total of $3,575.50. The amount of $4,115.12 remains unpaid on the Water Purchase with $179.23 returned to surplus. The amount of $1,514.02 remains unpaid on Street Lighting with $868.83 returned to surplus.

PUBLIC WORKS ADMINISTRATION

All administrative duties and records have been kept for the various divisions of the department. Commitments have been compiled and submitted to the Collector and Assessors' departments. A cost card system of the many jobs performed has been kept up to date and is on file in the department. I have in the past, through budgets and reports, endeavored to obtain an additional clerk for this office due to the increased duties and for record system of truck and equipment maintenance and stock supplies. The Superintendent would then have more time to devote to the work of the various divisions. In December the Selectmen voted to engage a clerk and one was obtained through the Civil Service on December 16, 1946.

ASH DIVISION

The work of this division constantly increases by the addition of streets and locations upon request of citizens to the Board of Selectmen. Although we now cover a large portion of the town, representing many miles of streets, there are sections where no collections are made. Because of increased schedules one truck and crew cannot collect the amount of materials that are put out each week and it is necessary to use the highway men for one or two days weekly most of the year.

The new truck purchased in 1945 has proven fast, efficient and clean in the operation of this work. Danger of injury to the men and fires in the truck are reduced to a minimum. The problem now confronting this department is locations for dumping areas. Under present conditions there should be two or more places to dump in order to decrease the mileage and increase the number of loads per day. A new schedule was put into effect in 1946 so that collections are now made on five days per week. Even with the assistance of additional crews it has been necessary to work overtime on Saturdays. The location at Raddin Terrace was excellent for dumping purposes. This swamp has been filled and kept covered as much as possible. This material will sink in time so that more can be dumped and covered and later the town can extend this road through to Ash Street.

HIGHWAY DIVISION

Work of this division has been handicapped throughout the year in its maintenance work by the following: 1. Digging and delivering gravel to streets; 2. Hurricane of June 8th; 3. Lack of a mechanic from May to October; 4. Taking care of Raddin Terrace dump; 5. Putting additional trucks and crews on Ash Collection. The work has been performed by a crew of one foreman and at times six to eight men. Assistance from this crew has been given to the water maintenance. On some of the work we have used the sewer crew. The following is some of the work accomplished during the year: RESURFACING: Bristow Street, Cleveland Avenue, Jefferson Avenue (in part), Lincoln Avenue from Central Street to Morton Avenue, Newcombe Avenue, Oaklandvale Avenue, Lodge Avenue, Bennett Avenue, Puritan Road, Overlea Avenue, School Street, Spring Street, Waverly Avenue, Overlook Terrace, Great Woods Road and Wamesit Avenue. BUILD SURFACE: DeSoto Street, Oakcrest Street, Riverside Court, Spencer Avenue, Warren Street and Wickford Street (in part). These were built from the base by removing boulders, loam, bushes and trees, filling with gravel, grading and rolling and included a surface of asphalt and pea-stone. Guild Road was started under a special appropriation. This work was stopped to await the completion of the Lincoln Avenue surface drain which ties in at Guild Road. During the winter this gravel will pack solidly and be ready for a surface job.

To enumerate the many other jobs of this division would take up considerable space in this report. Repair and maintenance work was continued throughout the year, of which information can be obtained from the department cost records. Included are patching streets, repairing sidewalks, bridges, brooks, gutters and culverts; cleaning basins and drains, sweeping streets and squares; mowing greens.

Most of our streets are of secondary construction and are not permanent. Much time and materials must be put on them in patching. Many miscellaneous jobs were performed of which a record is kept on the cost cards. With this small crew it is impossible to do all the regular maintenance work, emergency work, work of special articles and the many requests to the Board of Selectmen.

RECOMMENDATIONS: That sufficient new trucks and equipment be purchased so that this division and others can operate more efficiently. That no new work or project be started unless by vote of the Town Meeting with direct appropriations for same. That each article for street acceptance call for an appropriation for work by the regular employees or sufficient funds to let them out to contract. That a study be made by a committee with the hope that a proper personnel be set up for highway work and for repair and maintenance of trucks and equipment.

WATER DIVISION

The work of this division is increasing each year. The town has on its water records 3825 metered accounts, 78 fixture accounts and 30 summer services. A large percent of the services have been installed for over twenty-five years, many of them installed by the City of Lynn. Because of age, these services are now causing much trouble and the division is constantly repairing or replacing them. Up to December 11th the crew had installed 36 new services, 42 renewal of services and the department had billed out for 79 emergency repairs. Approximately 150 blow-outs of service lines were made and many turn ons and turn offs, all of which have been billed to property owners. Much more of this work could have been done if it were not for the water extension construction done during the year. Many hydrants in various sections of the town, especially on dead end streets, have been flushed at least once during the season with

some of them being flushed two and three times. The clogged condition of our old mains cause much trouble in the flow of water to the houses. This crew also installed 16 curb boxes and 12 main gate boxes.

Our meter men have repaired, tested and reinstalled 288 meters in 1946 and if parts had been available many more would have been reinstalled. In 1947 it may be possible that these parts will be coming through from the manufacturers and if so a sufficient appropriation should be made in order that this work can be carried on. Many of the meters taken out are in such condition that the cost of repair would almost equal the cost of a new meter.

The work of this division is performed as follows: Meters—Three men. Maintenance; Service and Extension—One foreman and four men. The General Foreman covers all divisions of this department with most of his time on the water division. All men of the department are interchangeable between divisions and this practice is used when necessary.

The water division is the main enterprise of the town departments. The neglect that it has had over a period of twenty-five years or more is constantly showing up. A water main or hydrant break shows the fact that gates and valves put in many years ago do not work. It is difficult under such conditions to make repair work. During the past five years, with any new hydrant or replacement we have installed a valve so that repairs can be made without shutting off large areas of consumers from use of water. The crew is not large enough to do maintenance work on these valves and gates. Each should be dug up—cleaned and repaired and tested in order to know that they will do the work they are installed for.

Water main breaks have shown that the size of the mains is not supplying the amount it should, due to corrosion. Pumping water through such mains is costly because of the lowered capacity. The flow of water is greatly impeded by this corrosion. A program should be started to clean mains each year. There are over seven miles of 4 inch water main, most of which is in congested districts. They should be replaced by larger mains. A large fire would be disastrous to the town.

In 1946 the sum of $1,400.00 was added to the water maintenance to install an Electro-Rust Proofing system in our standpipe. Due to the increased amount of extra work such as water extension, this money was used for water maintenance work. Repairs to equipment and trucks were costly. Such extra jobs as the Fiske Avenue extension, Prospect Avenue extension, School Street extension, Stevens Avenue extension, Basswood Avenue extension and Pearson Street extension, without direct appropriation, increased the expenditures of the division. I feel as did the Selectmen that these jobs were necessary because of lack of water at some location and of new houses at other locations. When budgets are submitted you can not anticipate what extra work must be done in that year. Our appropriation was not large enough for this extra work. At the time of the Special Town Meeting it was my intention to ask for transfer of funds, but the Selectmen were told that there was none available and that the Reserve Fund had been allocated. Though this money was used for water work and we had a sum of $1,652.65 in unpaid bills for the maintenance division of the department, we turned back the sum of $3,575.50 in unexpended funds for these divisions. In order to install this system of Electro-Rust Proofing in the standpipe I was informed that it would be necessary to clean the standpipe before installation. This would bring the cost to between $5,500.00 and $6,000.00.

RECOMMENDATIONS: During the past year, with all the trouble we have had with breakdown of trucks I recommend to the Board of Selectmen that we ask for sufficient funds in a machinery and equipment appropriation to purchase a truck with special body for water main-

tenance work; this truck to have a compressor, pump and winch, thereby eliminating having to use two or three trucks on this work. I again recommend either a reduction in the amount of water allowed for a $10.00 minimum charge per year or that the rate be raised. Also that a hydrant rental be set up, as in many towns and cities, for payment of water used in fire fighting and moth control. This is one of the greatest losses in this division. Meters should be owned by the town and not by the property owner. A check for cleaning and repair should be made on each at least once every two years and costs of same billed to the customer.

SNOW AND ICE REMOVAL

From January 1, 1946, to March 31, 1946, we experienced one of the worst seasons for storms and ice conditions that we have had in many years, according to the Weather Bureau records. We must plow, sand and take care of flooded conditions with old wornout equipment. We must hire extra trucks with plow equipment and bulldozers to assist in this work. Our own equipment is constantly breaking down and is costly to repair. An investigation of this department by a committee in 1946 brought out the conditions of this old equipment and the lack of the proper number of mechanics and maintenance men to perform the repair work, not only on this old equipment but also if we had all new equipment. A monthly maintenance check-up on new equipment by the proper number of employees for this work would save the town considerable money each year. Equipment should be turned in on the purchase of new every three years, thereby saving on much repair work and getting a good value for the town in turn-ins.

The 1947 appropriation should be large enough to make repairs to plows, purchase salt, calcium-chloride and sand for stock piles as well as the expense for storms in November and December.

ENGINEERS

The report of the Acting Town Engineer for work performed in 1946 will be found on another page.

SEWER DIVISION

Work of sewer construction for Jasper and Pearson Streets was completed this year. In 1947 these streets should be resurfaced. As in the past the men on this crew had to help on drainage and road work and each man has proved of great value on all the work assigned to them. The Highway Division furnishes truck drivers and shovel operators. For 1947 there will probably be a proposed sewer main for Summer Street and for the High School. The Board of Health has many locations where sewer mains should be installed. To do this work rapidly and well will necessitate additional employees or that it be done by contract. If approval of the Civil Service can be obtained, I recommend that this crew be placed on a permanent basis.

GENERAL

I have stated recommendations on the several divisions of the department. A comparison of the number of employees in this department with other towns will show that we are undermanned. Many cities and towns have separate departments with separate Boards and Superintendents. In most of them a single department has found it necessary to have more employees, than does the entire Public Works of Saugus. I sincerely hope that the town will appropriate enough funds to provide the department with additional employees. At least a shovel operator and

another mechanic should be engaged. Placing the Ash and Rubbish Removal on contract would provide three more men for construction and maintenance work.

I wish to express my appreciation to all department heads and to the various boards who have co-operated with the department throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,

CARL E. CHAPMAN,
Acting Superintendent.

Report of the Sealer of Weights and Measures

December 31, 1946.

Honorable Board of Selectmen
Town Hall
Saugus, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The testing of weights and measures has been carried on as usual in the past year and those not up to standard have been condemned.

The following is a detailed report of my activities for the past year:

Scales	Pounds	Sealed	Condemned
Platform	Over 5000	3	....
Platform	100 to 5000	2	....
Counter	100 to 5000	1	....
Counter	Under 100	6	....
Beam	100 to 5000	1	....
Spring	100 to 5000	2	....
Spring	Under 100	32	....
Computing	Under 100	33	....
Personal Weigher	(slot)	3	....
Prescription		3	....
Avoirdupois Weights		23	....
Gasoline Meter Systems		31	7
Vehicle Tank Meter Systems		6	....
Totals		206	7

Trial Weights of Commodities Put Up For Sale

	Total Tested	Number Correct	Under	Over
Bread	156	140	11	5
Butter	165	159	6	....
Coal in transit	6	6	....	....
Dry Commodities	138	129	9	....
Fruit and Vegetables	191	168	8	15
Meat and Provisions	46	46	....	....
Potatoes	82	69	5	7
Totals	784	717	39	28

Inspections Made

Paper or Fiber Cartons	121
Peddlers' Licenses	16
Coal Certificates	16
Bread (Marking of)	160
Food Packages	121
Peddlers' Scales	7
Ice Scales	2
Junk Scales	2
Totals	445

Retest of Devices After Sealing

Gasoline Meter Systems	10
Scales of All Types	28
Fuel Truck Meters	6
Totals	44

ALFRED H. WOODWARD,
Sealer of Weights and Measures.

Report of the Board of Fire Engineers

January 1, 1946.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and the Citizens of the Town of Saugus:

We hereby submit the annual report on the personnel, condition and activities of the Fire Department for the year ending December 31, 1946.

ROSTER

Chief

George B. Drew

Captain

Joseph L. Maguire

Lieutenants

Ralph E. Berrett
Albert F. Jervis

Permanent Firemen

Harold Atkinson
Alfred Bird
Warren Newhall
George Parrott
Leo Cahill
Charles Ryder
Norman Hull
Frank Beckford
Robert Jacobs
Robert Champoux
Guy Collins
John LaViska
Leslie Hitchings

Call Firemen

Arthur Gustafson	Hubert Connolly
Randolph Popp	Nathaniel Diamond
Lewis Gray	Paul Corson
Peter Walzer	Lawrence Trecartin
Edwin Holmes	Joseph Vatcher
Walter Wetmore	George M. Berrett

Board of Fire Engineers

James B. Boyle, Chairman	Vincent McGilvray, Jr.
George Gosselin, Secretary	Samuel Gillespie

During the year 1946 the Fire Department responded to 813 alarms and calls for fires and other duties. There were 177 Box alarms; 636 telephone calls. 70 of these box alarms were false or needless.

The apparatus traveled a total of 2,914 miles in responding to calls. Engine No. 1 traveled 5.5 miles, Engine No. 2 traveled 433.6 miles, Engine No. 3, 584.2 miles, Engine No. 4 traveled 1362.9 miles; Ladder No. 1 traveled 527.8 miles. The Chief's car traveled 7.196 miles in responding to alarms of fire and in the performance of other duties.

The assessed valuation of buildings, autos, trucks, the insurance on buildings, automobiles and their contents, etc, were as nearly as possible ascertained as follows:

Assessed valuation of buildings, autos, trucks, etc.	$100,365.00
Insurance on buildings, etc.	250,850.00
Loss on buildings, motor vehicles, etc.	6,597.00
Insurance paid for losses on buildings, etc.	5,732.00
Estimated value of contents	267,800.00
Insurance on contents	180,750.00
Loss on contents	87,343.00
Insurance paid for loss on contents	1,518.00

During the year 19,750 feet of 2½ inch hose, 18,700 feet of 1½ inch hose, 127,200 feet of ¾ inch hose was used to extinguish fires, a total of 165,700 feet. Of the above used hose, 131,900 feet was used at brush, grass and dump fires. There were 224 feet of ladders used and 24 tanks of oxygen and other First Aid equipment used.

The Fire Apparatus Engine No. 2 is in good condition, Engine No. 3 is in fine condition, Engine No. 4 is in fine condition. The Ladder truck is in fair condition, being sixteen years old. It should be replaced with a new Junior Aerial Ladder Truck. The Chief's car is in fair condition.

The Fire Department has done excellent work in keeping the fire loss down to a minimum, approximately $93,940.00 with the valued amount of property involved in fire being about $368,165.00 It should be noted that the department has to protect a large territory, nearly 11½ square miles with a minimum amount of men to man the apparatus and extinguish fires.

We recommend that the program calling for the installation of new hydrants every year be continued as there are several places in the town where hydrants are few and far between.

In conclusion we wish to thank the Honorable Board of Selectmen, Superintendent of the Public Works, the Chief of Police, all Town Officials and the Citizens of Saugus who by their cooperation have aided this department in maintaining a high degree of efficiency.

Signed by the CHIEF,

George B. Drew.

Signed by the BOARD OF FIRE ENGINEERS,

James B. Boyle, Chairman,
Geo. F. Gosselin ,Secretary,
Vincent J. McGilvray, Jr.,
Samuel E. Gillespie.

Town of Saugus Jury List, 1946

As Compiled by the Board of Selectmen In Accordance with the Statute Law of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts

The following names of inhabitants of the Town of Saugus have been prepared to serve on the Jury as prescribed by law:

Alukonis, Eddie W., Welder, 66 Summer Street
Anderson, Harold W., Production Foreman, 15 Smith Road
Anderson, William S., Mechanic, 521 Walnut Street
Andrus, Thomas E. Expressman, 217 Essex Street
Atkins, Thomas R., General Electric, 12 Tuttle Street
Atwater, Harold D., Mechanic, 29 Pinehurst Avenue
Aucella, Phillip A., Navy Yard, 7 Summit Avenue
Aucella, Theodore, Navy Yard, 85 Lincoln Avenue
Audet, Albert J., Tractor Driver, 77 Essex Street
Axtill, Edward, Bank Clerk, 49 Western Avenue
Babcock, Melbourn, Utility Man, 6 Greenwood Avenue
Barrett, Herbert D., Navy Yard, 15 Burnham Avenue
Batchelder, Kenneth, Truck Driver, 15 Robinson Street
Bjornwall, Oscar T., Draftsman, 58 Western Avenue
Bloom, Nils A., Machinist, 59 Lincoln Avenue
Frank A., Anodizer, 34 Newcomb Avenue
Bridges, Harvey L., Mechanic, 193 Winter Street
Briffett, Thomas E., Grocer, 208 Essex Street
Bryant, Walker B., Engineer, 14 Prospect Street
Burbank, Leon, Brakeman, 59 Essex Street
Butler, Harry W., General Electric ,8 Springdale Avenue
Campbell, Everett A., Paper Roller, 31 Greystone Road
Campbell, Wallace, Supervisor, 599 Lincoln Avenue
Canavan, Thomas E., Machinist, 10 Vine Street
Carr, John H., Retired, 3 Bennett Avenue
Chard, Reyland D., Bus Operator, 15½ East Denver Street
Chersonsky, William, Paper Hanger, 18 Harlow Street
Christianson, Thomas A., Carpenter, 8 Vine Street
Clark, Francis H., Electrician, 19 Carson Street
Clark ,Raymond P., General Electric, 3 Granite Road
Clucas, Russell, Lawyer, 9 Putnam Street
Colanto, Joseph M., Rigger, 15 Eaton Avenue
Collins, Frank H., Janitor, 43 Central Street
Como, James T., Jeweler, 7 Palmer Avenue
Conant, Henry W., Farmer, 23 Atlantic Avenue
Connell, George, Auditor, 19 Johnson Street
Connolly ,Hubert B., Fireman, 12 Winter Street
Corry, Henry H., Moulder, 9 Upland Road
Coughlin, David F., Chipper, 233 Central Street
Courtis, Leonard A., Tool Draftsman, 37 Taylor Street
Crafts, Fred, Laborer, 209 Central Street
Crocker, Ralph W., Government Employee, 2 Bennett Avenue
Curra, Richard S. W., Foreman, 23 Anawan Avenue
Curran, Joseph A., Bench Hand, 4 Wendell Street
Davis Donald, Remington Arms, 10 Puritan Road
Decareau, Walter R., Lynn Gas & Electric Co., 5 Jasper Street
DeFronzo, John, Crane Operator, 12 Bristow Street
Dever, Michael L., Chauffeur, 17 Eagle Road
Dexter, Harold S., Shipfitter, 780 Broadway
Diamond, Herbert, Printer, 489 Lincoln Avenue
Dineen, Bartholomew A., Machinist, 42 Houston Avenue

Ditto, Felice, Machinist, 33 Ballard Street
Dixon, George B., Stock Clerk, 52 Walnut Street
Dodge, Harold E., Stock Clerk, 10 Birch Street
Dolaser, Vincent, Die Maker, 282 Lincoln Avenue
Dow, Thomas J., General Electric, 52 Adams Avenue
Duffy, John J., Tally-Man, 72 Main Street
Dunham, Walter H., Plumber, 29 Jefferson Avenue
Durgin, George H., Clerk, 41 Main Street
Emmett, Elmer R., Prot. Clerk, 65 Summer Street
Essery, Frederick T., Filling Station Operator, 21 Western Avenue
Evans, Robert T., Mechanic, 14 Walden Avenue
Fahey, William F., Machinist, 9 Buena Vista Street
Fauci, Anthony, Navy Yard, 234 Walnut Street
Fearns, Clement C., General Electric, 8 Bow Street
Fisher, Joseph G., General Electric, 22 Dustin Street
Flaherty, Frederick F., Foreman ,3 Waverly Avenue
Flemming, David P., Plumber, 28 Glen Park Avenue
Flynn, Charles M., Defense Worker, 529 Broadway
Fox, James J., Attorney, 14 Central Place
Francis, Edward A., Purchase Agent, 7 Anawan Avenue
Frieswyck, Theodore, General Electric, 26 Fairview Avenue
Futter, Albert, Printing, 41 Birch Street
Gallant, Freeman J., Salesman, 11 Auburn Court
Gammage, Joseph N., Janitor, 100 Essex Street
Gaudet, Herbert, R.R. Postal Clerk, 7 Fiske Road
Gayron, Henry F., Jr., Elec. Instruments, 18 Riverside Court
Gibbs, Charles W., Retired, 16 Hayden Road
Gifford, Edward A., Coast Guard, 22 Laconia Avenue
Giles, Clarence, Manager, Greystone Road
Glynn, Harold E., Janitor, 28 Woodbury Avenue
Gooding, Harold E., General Electric, 5 Juliette Road
Goodwin, Henry E., Electrician, 27 Sterling Avenue
Gould, John A., Motor Trimmer, 193 Walnut Street
Graham, Michael, Merchant, 28 Summer Street
Green, Elliott, Shipper, 28 Western Avenue
Grella, Anthony, Barber, 104 Lincoln Avenue
Groesbeck, Edward P., Retired, 14 Hayden Road
Grosse, Victor, Crane Operator, 4 Pearson Street
Hanlon, James P., Asst. Supt., 18 Hayden Road
Hanson, David W., General Electric, 19 Clinton Avenue
Harmon, Stanley B., Instructor, 11 Cleveland Avenue
Harris, John C., Salesman, 4 Shore Road
Harvey, Harry, Machinist, 12 Johnston Terrace
Harvey, Osborne L., Salesman, 219 Essex Street
Hatch, Anthony, General Electric, 6 Puritan Road
Hawkes, Arthur L., Carpenter, 133 Walnut Street
Hayes, James J., Plumber, 507 Central Street
Hennessy, Bernard J., Machinist, 5 Springdale Avenue
Hentschell, Frank A., Planner, 9 Grove Street
Hicks, Warren M., Battery Garage Man, 8r Webb Street
Hogle, Hollis E., Jr., 59 Water Street, Engineer
Holt, Charles C., Machinist, 19 Anawan Avenue
Howard, Stanley, U. S. Army, 8 Robinson Street
Hussey, William R., General Electric, 4 Olive Avenue
Hutchinson, Frank, Foreman, General Electric, 1 Evans Street
Hutton, Reginald, Retired, 15 Pratt Street
Ingemanson, Carl R., General Electric, 36 Westland Avenue
Jones, Chester, Steamfitter, 14 Wendell Street
Junkins, Ray P., Toolmaker, 18 Prospect Street
Keane, John F., Farmer, 62 Howard Street
Keller, Ralph, General Electric, 8 Puritan Road

Kelley, John J., Electric Winder, 11 Addison Avenue
Kelley, Richard P., General Electric, 21 Dustin Street
Kelley, Thomas A., General Electric, 90 Chestnut Street
Kent, Joseph, Winder, 8 Richards Street
Keough ,George J., Steam Fitter, 510 Broadway
Kilroy, Frederick, Accountant, 9 Douglas Road
Kilroy, Frederick, Clerk, General Electric, 9 Douglas Road
Krause, Joseph M., Machinist, General Electric, 9 Guild Road
Lancaster, Harry B., Elec. Engineer, 9 Tuttle Street
LaVene, William E., Machinist, 28 Newcomb Avenue
Leander, Francis M., Machinist, 47 Evergreen Street
Lewis, Fred Oliver, Druggist, 8 Puritan Road
Lucey, David J., Coach, 8 Intervale Avenue
MacCutcheon, Homer H., Machinist, 9 Castle Rock Road
Maher, Thomas, Superintendent, 6 Fiske Road
Mallar, Nathan H., Civil Engineer, 7 Blueridge Avenue
Manley, Albert, Machinist, 20 Anawan Avenue
Mansfield, John E., Salesman, 356 Lincoln Avenue
Marano, Alfred, Shovel Operator, 7 Newhall Street
McAfee, John K. ,Naval Reserve, 9 Puritan Road
McCarrier, Alexander S., Machinist, 33 Mountain Avenue
McCarrier, George A., Owner, 31 Prospect Street
McCarthy, William H., Machinist, 395 Lincoln Avenue
McCullough, Welcome, Instructor, 280 Central Street
McGilvary, Vincent J., Jr., Plumber, 73 Appleton Street
McKay ,George N., Mechanic, 17 Sunnyside Park
McKay, John C., Foreman, 21 East Denver Street
McNulty, Daniel B., Crane Operator, 16 Sapphire Road
Meacock, Leslie A., Assistant Foreman, 25 Columbus Avenue
Meeker, Jack A., General Electric, 26 Summer Street
Menzies, Hugh, Electrician, 12 Pratt Street
Merrill, Harry W., Salesman, 109 Water Street
Merrithew, Ernest A., Retired, 6 Columbia Avenue
Monico, Salvatore, Mechanic, 5 Atlas Avenue
Moore, William T., Rigger, 65 Western Avenue
Morillo, Patrick T., Printer, 7 Enmore Road
Morrison, George F., Electrician, 26 Auburn Street
Morrison, William A., Machinist, 446 Central Street
Mullarky, William F., General Electric, 161 Winter Street
Mullen, John J., Real Estate, 169 Main Street
Nagle, Frank, Auto Mechanic, 60 Western Avenue
Neale, Frank, Retired, 15 Fulton Street
Neale, J. Frederick, Retired, 6 Tuttle Street
Newhall, Frank B., Retired, 74 Main Street
Newhall, Freeman A., Truck Driver, 7 Burnham Avenue
Nordstrom, Charles S., Machinist, 41 Chestnut Street
Noretsky, Ellis, Tailor, 11 Main Street
Nordstrom, Edward C., Machinist, 3 Taylor Street
Nordstrom, Herbert R., U. S. Navy, 43 Riverbank Road
O'Connor, Francis W., Salesman, 14 Ernest Street
Oljey, Edward J., Machinist, 27 Birch Street
O'Neil, Edward J., Clerk, 12 Centennial Avenue
Ossinger, George H., Draftsman, 7 Puritan Road
Pearson, John, Machinist, 21 Intervale Avenue
Pecuikonis, Stanislaus, Leather Worker, 68 Walden Pond Avenue
Pidgeon, Percy S., Truck Driver, 19 Herbert Avenue
Pingree, Chester W., Painter, 122 Fairmount Avenue
Pingree, Leonard, Maintenance, 33 Sapphire Road
Pitman, Delbert M., Chauffeur, 34 Stone Street
Pitman, Donald R., Salesman, 7 Linwood Street
Pitman, George W., Carpenter, 14 Hillcrest Street

Popp, Roy R., Laundry Worker, 5 Denver Street
Pratt, Everett L., General Electric, 20 Felton Street
Ramsdell, Frank M., Retired, 28 Pleasant Street
Randazzo, John, Truck Driver, 27 Morton Avenue
Reed, William W., Foreman, 30 Prospect Street
Repucci, Frank, Mason, 3 Farrington Avenue
Richardson, Laurence E., General Electric, 46 Mt. Vernon Street
Rice, Samuel E., Farmer, 8 Ella Street
Rich, Roger M., Navy Yard, 69 Chestnut Street
Riley, George E., Inspector, 279 Central Street
Rippon, Fred O., Agriculture, 9 Summer Street
Roberts, Harry T., Tool Maker, 60 Adams Avenue
Robinson, George E., Garage Mechanic, 61 Ballard Street
Robinson, William H., Supervisor, 8 Raddin Terrace
Rodbett, John T., Engineer, r787 Broadway
Rodgers, James H., Salesman, 420 Central Street
Rohrbacher, Albert, Foreman, 9 Juliette Road
Rosetti, Joseph P., Clerk, 62 Western Avenue
Rossetti, Peter A., Navy Yard, 12 Summit Avenue
Russell, Waldo B., Manufacturer, 8 Anawan Avenue
Semper, Cecil, Carpenter, 60 Ballard Street
Serino, John, Foreman, 213 Lincoln Avenue
Smiledge ,Harold A., Shoeman, 14 Marden Street
Smith, Alexander J., Superintendent, 7 Hayden Road
Smith, Clement T., Shipping Clerk, 11 Smith Road
Smith, William R., Shipfitter, 66 Western Avenue
Snushall, Wilson, Teacher, 11 Putnam Street
Solimita, Carmine, Grocer, 467 Lincoln Avenue
Spinney, Arthur, Lithographer, 21 Basswood Avenue
Staples, Gordon E., Airline Pilot, 8 Puritan Road
Stone, John F., Crane Operator, 12 Puritan Road
Stowe, Howard L., Restaurant Manager, 10 Laconia Avenue
Streid, Dale D., Engineer, 3 Puritan Road
Symmes, Carlton R., H. P. Hood, 67 Summer Street
Sullivan, John T., Real Estate, 75 Great Woods Road
Sutherland, Edward H., Buyer, 40 Bow Street
Taylor, Walter J., Retired, 8 Appleton Street
Thibo, Ernest J., Crane Operator, 197 Water Street
Thompson, Robert E., General Electric, 14 Jackson Street
Thompson, Robert W., Radial Drill Operator, 12 Emoy Street
Tichy, Joseph, Moulder, 9 Overlea Avenue
Townsend, Andrew W., Foreman, General Electric, 38 Blueridge Avenue
Trenholm, George H., General Electric, 5 Auburn Court
Ulbin, Alex, Truck Driver, 31 Guild Road
Ventullo, Salvi, Bus Driver, 47 Saugus Avenue
Walker, Donald M., Salesman, 50 Springdale Avenue
Wakey, J. Edwin, Grocer, 31 Whitney Street
Wall, Alfred M., Coppersmith, 9 Marion Road
Wentworth, Henry A., Shipping, 37 Bailey Avenue
Wesolowski, Adolph, Jr., Engineer, 203 Hesper Street
White, John W., Chairman Ration, 7 Lawndale Avenue
White, Joseph O., Bank Teller, 5 Hayden Road
Wilson, David L., 7 Fulton Avenue
Woodfall, Ralph A., Artist, 5 Danforth Avenue
Wormstead, Harold E., Carpenter, 13 Stocker Street
Wyzinski, Augustyn, Blacksmith, 23 Guild Road

WILLIAM S. OLIVER,
C. CARROLL CUNNINGHAM,
WILLIAM H. ROBINSON,
Board of Selectmen.

Report of the Cemetery Commissioners

January 20,1947.

To the Citizens and Taxpayers of Saugus:

The Board of Cemetery Commissioners would like to express their appreciation to the officials and others of the town who have cooperated with our department during the year 1946; especially do we want to extend our appreciation to the Superintendent and employees at the Riverside Cemetery, who have done such an excellent job. Only with this splendid cooperation have we been able to discharge our duties as Commissioners to the taxpayers.

It is not our intention to bore you in this report with a lot of figures which are available elsewhere in the report; however, we do desire to point out that income for the year 1946 in the Cemetery Department has exceeded monies appropriated at the Annual Town Meeting for the year 1946; this of course is exclusive of the appropriation to finish the Veterans' Lot. The Commissioners anticipate that this project should be completed in time for dedication on Memorial Day.

The development of the Montgomery property for burial purposes has been started and should be carried on during the year 1947; unless this is done, space for burial purposes, which the town must provide under the Public Health Laws, will not be available.

As to this project it is only fair to state that any monies appropriated for this purpose are a solid investment, as can be determined by an examination of the records. A fair analysis convinces the Commissioners that the town receives at least three dollars ($3.00) for every dollar invested. We feel sure that the Finance Committee is aware of this and will govern its recommendation on our appropriation with that in mind.

As to the raises recommended for the personnel in our Department, we feel that they are reasonable and just and do not exceed that paid to other town employees doing similar work. The Commissioners feel that we have a very faithful and sincere crew of men working at the Riverside Cemetery.

In closing, we again strongly stress that any monies held in trust for the Cemetery Department be invested in accordance with the law so as to derive the highest possible income. Our every interest will be devoted to giving the town a continued efficient administration in the Cemetery Department in order that all costs to the town may be kept at a minimum.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM S. ROCKHILL, Chairman;
BENJAMIN FULLERTON,
PAUL HAYES,

Cemetery Commissioners.

Report of the Board of Health

To the Citizens of the Town of Saugus:

The Board of Health herewith submits its annual report for the year ending December 31, 1946.

The health of the public in general, from the standpoint of contagious diseases, has been most excellent, which fact in itself lends proof to the feeling that, as has been stated before, the appropriation of our department is well expended in giving our citizens that most valuable possession, life and good health.

By constant effort, quarantine and searth for contagious disease on the part of the members and agents of the department, we find at present we have but five patients in hospitals for the treatment of tuberculosis—a record which in times of stress as at present, speaks for itself. The number of new cases of tuberculosis remains about the same for the past several years, which is to be expected.

The Clinic for the prevention of diphtheria has functioned as one of our most essential and vital efforts toward the ultimate elimination of this dread disease. Diphtheria having been on the increase in the cities and towns of the Commonwealth, a request was made by the Department of Public Health to the local Board of Health, to appeal to the public to have all children who had not been inoculated against diphtheria in the last two years, to go to their family doctor for one booster dose, all others to have the three regular inoculations for the same.

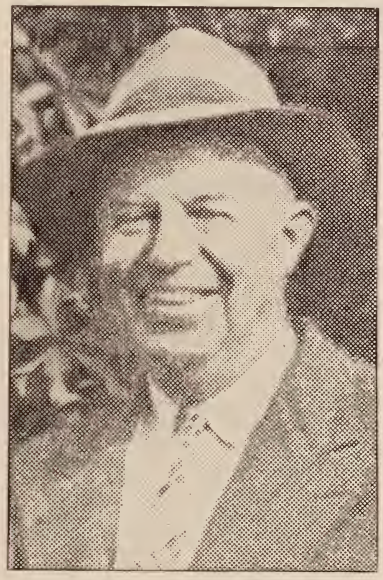
Due to the diligence of the school nurse and public health nurse in the selection of cases for care of the teeth and interest in the future health and welfare of the children of the town, a total of 507 were treated in our Dental Clinic.

The problem of proper disposal of sewerage in the town is still in some areas not as yet relieved from that chaotic condition which has existed for so many years while other areas covered by our new sewer system have found it to be a blessing in disguise. The Board of Health sincerely hope that further extension of such system will be possible and with all due haste be extended to those areas most desperately in need of relief.

We were very fortunate to have been able to hold a Child Welfare Conference conducted by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health and assisted by the nurse of the Saugus Board of Health, through the efforts of the Roby Parent Teachers' Association and local Board of Health.

The garbage contract which came up for renewal this year found several new bidders, the previous contractor failing to submit a bid. After careful consideration and much deliberation, with personal investigation by members of the Board, the contract was finally awarded to Henry Paulino of Peabody. Numerous complaints were received at first, which was to be expected, but have been reduced to a minimum at present.

The Board of Health appreciates the honest endeavor of its agents, their dependability and interest in carrying on the work of the department, which has increased and redoubled itself many times in the past few years, due in part to the Board's desire to function as a department worthy of its purpose in all phases of preventative medicine, and to com-



IN MEMORIAM

RICHARD J. SPENCER

August 24, 1890 — July 16, 1946

Appointed to Board of Health, June, 1933

WHEREAS—
Almighty God in His infinite plan has called RICHARD J. SPENCER to his eternal reward; and

WHEREAS—
RICHARD J. SPENCER gave more than thirteen years of his life as a member of the Board of Health of the Town of Saugus; and

WHEREAS—
His service was honest, faithful and unselfish . . .

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED—
That the remaining members of the Board of Health of the Town of Saugus, in session this fifth day of August, 1946, do sincerely appreciate the services of our fellow member, RICHARD J. SPENCER, and hereby vote that these resolutions be spread upon our official records and that a copy of the same be sent to his bereaved family.

JAMES A. CLARK, Chairman;
LEROY C. FURBUSH.

pletely carry on its part in the everlasting battle between life and death, and the preservation of man's most precious possession—good health and the freedom from disease.

Respectfully submitted,

DR. JAMES A. CLARK, Chairman;
DR. LEROY C. FURBUSH, Health Officer;
Mr. ARTHUR W. PRICE, Secretary.

Gypsy Moth Department

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The following is a report of work accomplished and condition of the town in regard to insect pests.

We found no brown-tails at all and it is my belief this insect is cleared up. The tent-caterpillar infestations were also very light. However, the (fall web-worm) which is often mistaken for the tent has increased; this is probably due to the fact that they are not considered as destructive pests, as they only feed within their webs and do no real damage. No provision is made to fight them; however, we cut and burned several truck loads from along Winter, Main and other streets. The gypsy-moth situation is only slightly more than last year; Saugus Center, East Saugus and Cliftondale are clean, but the North Saugus and Golden Hills sections are more heavily infested due to the necessity of working the crew cleaning up the June 8th storm damage. We were not able to do as much spraying as we would have liked to do; however, we sprayed nearly forty-two thousand gallons of arsenic and D.D.T.

We continued our reforestation project at the town farm, planting thirty-five hundred trees, making a total of twelve thousand for that area. This is being done with the aid of the Boy Scouts. Brush cutting was carried on at Winter Street, Clinton Avenue, Westland Avenue, Adams Avenue, Main Street, Walnut Street, DeSoto Street, Appleton Street and many other spots. This work was planned not only to destroy insect pests but to also aid the Public Works Department to keep roads clear and open up dangerous blind corners. We also spent some time on the eradication of poison ivy, several bad spots being treated in different parts of the town. In comparison with nearby towns, Saugus is very clean, while some of our neighbors are infested with Japanese beetle, Oriental moth and brown-tail moth, we do not have any of these.

In closing, may I thank all town departments for their cooperation during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE L. PEARCE,
Superintendent of Gypsy Moth.

Soldiers' Relief Department

December 31, 1946.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Town Hall
Saugus, Massachusetts
Gentlemen:

At the close of my sixth year as Soldiers' Relief Agent, I am pleased to summarize briefly the working of the department under which I have the honor to serve.

The year 1946 carried along with it many problems and perplexities which naturally accompanies any period of reconversion or rehabilitation; however, having passed the major difficulties in readjustment, it is hoped that the problems to come will be less varied, with brighter future for the returning veteran.

It is unfortunate that the appropriation made at the Town Meeting last spring was exceeded and necessity demanded a request for additional funds. This is attributable to the heavy drain made on the department at the time of the work stoppage at the General Electric Co. This feature alone cost the town between four and five thousand dollars. The increased cost of living has also made it necessary to make additional allowances in the individual budgets.

Early in the spring of last year the Massachusetts Legislature became aware of the current demands for aid and assistance to the veteran and his dependent and new laws were enacted to help relieve the situation. Beginning with January 1st of 1947, all former separations of aid given to the veteran and his dependent such as State Aid, Military Aid, and Soldiers' Relief will be consolidated under one heading of Veterans' Benefits. In this manner, the Commonwealth steps in and reimburses the towns and cities one-half of the amounts approved of by the Commissioner of Veterans' Benefits of the Commonwealth, applications first having been made to him for approval or rejection. Budgets are standardized and returns for money expended will be made on the November following the year in which the money is expended. The Town of Saugus will first benefit under the new returns in November of 1948. Movement is on foot at the State House to have returns made earlier if possible.

With the information as given above, it will be noted that the amount asked for 1947 under Veterans' Benefits is less than the total amount expended under the different headings this past year.

This office is up to date in information of benefit to the veteran and assistance has been given to a great number of veterans and their families, either financially or in making applications for the State Bonus and Terminal Leave pay, notarizing papers, and aiding in securing pension allowances.

I wish to thank all the departments in the town hall for their help with pertinent matters and extend to your honored body my sincere appreciation for your hearty cooperation during the past year.

Respectfully,

NEWELL V. BARTLETT,
Veterans' Agent.

Report of the Contributory Retirement Board

To the Members of the Retirement System
Saugus, Massachusetts

The Contributory Retirement Board herewith submits its tenth annual report for the year ending December 31, 1946:

ACTIVE MEMBERS

Group A	Male	Female	Total
Membership December 31, 1945	45	23	68
Enrolled during 1946	9	3	12
	54	26	80
Withdrawals	3	1	4
Retired	1	0	1
Deaths	2	0	2
	48	25	73
Group B			
Membeship December 31, 1945	30	0	30
Enrolled during 1946	1	0	1
	31	0	31
Withdrawals	9	0	9
Retired	0	0	0
Deaths	0	0	0
	22	0	22
Active Members, December 31, 1946	70	25	95

PENSIONERS

Membership, December 31, 1945	5	1	6
Retired during 1946	1	0	1
	6	1	7
Deaths during 1946	0	0	0
	6	1	7
Total Membership, December 31, 1946	76	26	102

WITHDRAWALS DURING 1946

Name	Occupation	Date of Withdrawal
Arthur W. Price	Call Fireman	January 31, 1946
Gordon Jameson	Call Fireman	January 31, 1946
Walter Elsmore	Reserve Police Officer	February 28, 1946
Ruth Williams	Secretary-Clerk	March 30, 1946
John J. Cahill	Call Fireman	March 30, 1946
Fred B. Chesley	Call Fireman	April 29, 1946
John W. White	Sec. Bd. Selectmen	April 30, 1946
John T. Marlborough	Equip. Opr.-Laborer	August 30, 1946
Joseph N. Gamage	Jr. Bldg. Custodian	August 31, 1946
Theodore Frieswyk	Call Fireman	December 21, 1946
Donald Walker	Call Fireman	December 21, 1946
William Smith	Call Fireman	December 21, 1946
Frank Bothroyd	Call Fireman	December 21, 1946

DEATHS DURING 1946

Name	Occupation	Date of Death
George Businеau	Equip. Opr.-Laborer	February 6, 1946
Ralph Quirk	Town Accountant	November 27 ,1946

PENSIONERS

Name	Occupation	Date Retired
Raymond D. Hatch	Janitor	September 8, 1937
Albert C. Day	Pumpman	July 1, 1939
Lillian Shores	Chief Clerk	May 17, 1941
Andrew C. Lynn	Jr. Bldg. Custodian	January 2, 1943
Maurice F. O'Neil	Jr. Bldg. Custodian	July 10, 1943
John Dyer	Town Engineer	November 12, 1945
Benjamin Vatcher	Mechanic	July 22, 1946

DEATHS DURING 1946

None

STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS SUMMARIZED

Cash Receipts		Cash Payments	
Cash on Hand Jan. 1, 1946	$4,438.22	Investments	$10,000.00
Employees' Contributions:		Expenses	1,437.26
Group A	7,059.41	Retirement Allowances:	
Group B	557.24	Annuities Paid	335.44
Appropriation by Town:		Pensions Paid	3,245.39
Pensions	4,201.00	Refunds:	
Military Service	1,321.56	Group A:	
Expenses	2,177.44	Deposit	3,692.78
Investment Income	2,337.50	Interest	55.78
		Group B:	
		Deposit	352.39
		Interest	1.37
		Cash on hand 12-31-46	2,971.96
	$22,092.37		$22,092.37

BALANCE SHEET, DECEMBER 31, 1946

After Closing

Assets		Liabilities and Reserves	
Cash	$2,971.96	Annuity Savings Fund	$43,432.05
Investments:		Annuity Reserve Fund	2,909.14
Stocks and Bonds	100,506.44	Pension Fund	54,223.93
		Sp. Fund Military Serv.	1,968.47
		Expense Fund	944.81
	$103,478.40		$103,478.40

STATEMENT OF CASH AND SECURITIES, DECEMBER 31, 1946 BEFORE AMORTIZATION

Cash on Hand:		
Merchants National Bank	$2,971.96	$2,971.96
Bonds:		
U. S. Treasury 2¾% 60/65	$12,221.39	
Town of Saugus Sewer 2¾% 62	5,166.69	
State of North Dakota 4% 60	1,118.36	
U. S. Savings Series G 2½% 53	10,000.00	
U. S. Savings Series G 2½% 54	10,000.00	
U. S. Savings Series G 2½% 54	10,000.00	
U. S. Savings Series G 2½% 56	10,000.00	
U. S. Savings Series G 2½% 55	1,000.00	
U. S. Savings Series G 2½% 55	1,000.00	
U. S. Savings Series G 2½% 55	1,000.00	
U. S. Savings Series G 2½% 56	10,000.00	
U. S. Savings Series G 2½% 56	1,000.00	
U. S. Savings Series G 2½% 56	1,000.00	

U. S. Savings Series G 2½% 57	15,000.00	
U. S. Savings Series G 2½% 58	10,000.00	
		98,506.44
Paid-up Shares:		
10 Saugus Cooperative Bank	$2,000.00	
		2,000.00
	$103,478.40	$103,478.40

With deep regret the Retirement Board lost, by death, on November 27, 1946, its Chairman, Ralph Quirk. From the beginning of his association with the Retirement Board in July 1937 he was our Chairman. He was a faithful and untiring worker and was an inspiration to those he worked with.

Respectfully submitted,

DELMONT E. GODING, Secretary;
ALBION L. HOGAN.

Tree Warden's Report

To the Citizens of Saugus:

The following is a report of our activities for the year just ended.

We continued our tree planting project of the previous years and placed two hundred and seven maples on various streets. We hope to continue this work in 1947 if funds are voted. We also pruned out trees on a number of streets and also removed fourteen dangerous trees. There are also several topped and ready to be removed in different parts of the town. These were held up by lack of funds, as all available money was needed to clean up the storm damage of June 8th. This storm hit Saugus the hardest of any town of the North Shore and created much damage, both in felling trees, tearing and destroying the limbs. Some cannot be repaired and must be removed.

The spraying of Elm trees for the Elm Beetle was done with a new spray, consisting of lead arsenic, pyrethium with D.D.T. added. Results were very good as very little foliage showed signs of feeding. We believe with these new insecticides this pest can be entirely erased.

In closing may I publicly thank the New England Tel. and Tel. Company and the Lynn Gas & Electric Company and all others who assisted me in cleaning up the storm debris.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE L. PEARCE,
Tree Warden.

Report of Town Accountant

December 31, 1946.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Town Hall
Saugus, Massachusetts
Gentlemen:

I herewith submit the annual report of the Town Accountant for the year 1946. The report is made in accordance with the State System of Accounting as is set forth in the following schedules. I respectfully submit, for your consideration, an explanation of some of the accounts.

1. GENERAL FINANCIAL CONDITION

Balance Sheet and Appropriation Accounts:

After closing the books at the end of the year there is a surplus revenue amounting to $87,861.01 as compared to $7,672.79 in 1945. This is accounted for in part by the fact that the actual receipts for the year were more than the estimated amount. The various appropriation accounts had unexpended balances amounting to $23,116.19 which reverted to surplus revenue. This amount reflects over $1.25 on the tax rate.

Temporary Loans:

As in the past few years the outstanding temporary loans in anticipation of taxes remains at $200,000.00 which has been the normal amount. Please note that the cash balance on December 31, 1946, is $268,856.65 or $124,423.47 more than at the beginning of the year.

Tax Title Loans:

The sum of $43,543.11 was paid on the outstanding tax title loans held by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts on tax titles. It was not necessary to borrow in 1946. The total of such loans outstanding to date is $87,548.67 which shows a healthy financial improvement over the past few years. The 1946 payments were $7,831.64 in excess of that for the year 1945.

Tax Possessions:

The foreclosure of tax titles has continued satisfactorily during the year and at the close of business 1946 there were 1196 parcels remaining unsold and carried on the books of the town in the amount of $127,850.68 value. A continuance of appropriation to the Town Treasurer to carry on this program will help materially the financial condition.

Town Indebtedness:

The total amount of the town indebtedness was reduced from $730,091.78 to $664,548.67, a reduction of $65,543.11 during the past year or $17,826.08 over that of the year 1945. The total bonded indebtedness is $377,000.00.

2. UNPAID BILLS

On closing the books of the town it was found that the following bills remain unpaid:

Board of Selectmen	$ 12.56
Police Department	146.68
Town Hall	130.84
O. A. A.—Aid	31.11
Welfare	4,288.55
Highway	1,023.34
Water Maintenance	627.81
Engineering	1.50
Water Purchase	4,115.12
Street Lighting	1,514.02
	$11,891.53

3. WITHHOLDING TAX DEDUCTIONS

The provisions of the Federal Revenue Act relative to deductions from the gross earnings of each town employee for income tax purposes has been complied with. The total amount of withholding tax deductions turned over to the Collector of Internal Revenue during 1946 amounted to $47,910.14.

Balance sheets and detailed financial reports have been furnished to various institutions.

In conclusion I wish to thank the Honorable Board of Selectmen, the State Auditors, department heads and individuals for their cooperation during the year. I personally regret the passing of the Town Accountant, Ralph Quirk, whom I found to be helpful and courteous at all times in the business of the town. He had earned an excellent reputation with the State Department of Accounts as having one of the most efficient accounting departments in the Commonwealth. His passing is a loss that will remain in our memories for many years.

Respectfully submitted,

CARL E. CHAPMAN,
Acting Town Accountant.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 50 of Chapter 41 of the General Laws, I have verified the cash on hand December 31, 1946, by actual count and the cash in the banks was certified by reconciliation of the outstanding checks with the books and bank statement. In accordance with the provisions of Section 53 of Chapter 41 of the General Laws, I have verified the various Trust Funds and special deposits as of December 31, 1946, which are as follows:

SURPLUS WAR BONUS FUND

Saugus Trust Co. Savings Account #1552	$ 705.23

GEORGE M. WILSON LIBRARY FUND

United States Treasury Bond #C4448458E Series G	$ 100.00
United States Treasury Bond 2½% Series G #687758	1,000.00
United States Treasury Bond 2½% Series G #687759	1,000.00
	$2,100.00

BENJAMIN N. JOHNSON LIBRARY FUND

United States Treasury Bond 3½% 46/49	$5,000.00
Saugus Trust Co. Savings Account #2343	125.00
	$5,125.00

CEMETERY PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS

United States War Savings Bond 2½% Series G #X494144G	$10,000.00
United States War Savings Bond 2½% Series G #X494145G	10,000.00
United States War Savings Bond 2½% Series G #X494146G	10,000.00
United States War Savings Bond 2½% Series G #X494147G	10,000.00
United States War Savings Bond 2½% Series G #X494956G	10,000.00
United States War Savings Bond 2½% Series G #X512253G	10,000.00
United States War Savings Bond 2½% Series G #X512261G	10,000.00
Lynn Institution for Savings, Savings Accounts and Saugus Trust Co. Savings Accounts	62,041.19
	$132,041.19

POST-WAR REHABILITATION FUND

General Cash Account and Savings Bank Book	$25,412.35

A detailed amount of the individual deposits for perpetual care of lots may be procured at the Treasurer's Office, Town Hall, by persons desiring same.

CARL E. CHAPMAN,
Acting Town Accountant.

1946 RECEIPTS

GENERAL REVENUE

Taxes: Levy of 1946:			
Real Estate	$684,389.99		
Personal	59,837.66		
Poll	7,096.00		
		$751,323.65	
Taxes: Prior Years:			
Real Estate	$64,232.45		
Personal	870.64		
Poll	136.00		
		65,239.09	
From the Commonwealth:			
Corporation Tax	$32,487.74		
Income Tax	83,063.50		
Lynn Watershed Tax	1,455.88		
Estates of Deceased Persons	921.85		
		117,928.97	
Licenses and Permits:			
Bowling and Pool	$ 20.00		
Auctioneer and Grove	6.00		
Victuallers	165.00		
Hawkers and Peddlers	15.00		
Liquor and Malt Beverages	10,054.00		
Auto Dealers	91.00		
Junk	20.00		
Entertainment	665.00		
Miscellaneous	28.00		
		11,064.00	
Town Clerk:			
Marriages	$500.00		
Mortgages	596.00		
Discharges and Assignments	50.25		
Certified Copies	36.85		
Business Certificates	21.50		
Gasoline Registration	16.50		
Oll Others	16.50		
		1,237.60	
Fines and Forfeits:			
County Court Fines	$643.90		
		643.90	
Grants and Gifts:			
From Federal Government:			
OAA—Aid	$45,738.73		
OAA—Administration	1,533.65		
ADC—Aid	2,393.35		
ADC—Administration	318.84		
		49,984.57	
From the State:			
Gasoline Tax	$11,865.02		
		11,865.02	
From the County:			
Dog Licenses	$2,188.65		
		2,188.65	
Tax Title Redemptions	$37,005.84		
Tax Title Sales	1,878.65		
Tax Possession Sales	9,252.44		
		48,136.93	
Total for General Revenue			$1,059,612.38

COMMERCIAL REVENUE

Special Assessments:			
Gypsy Moths:			
Levy of 1945	$22.70	$ 22.70	
Sewers:			
Apportioned 1945	$ 422.86		
Committed Interest 1945	115.39		
Apportioned 1946	3,017.50		
Committed Interest 1946	643.37		
Unapportioned 1946	87.57		
Paid in Advance	1,636.98		
Committed Interest	8.66	5,932.33	
Privileges:			
Motor Vehicle Excise:			
Levy of 1945	$ 549.69		
Levy of 1946	16,274.72	16,824.41	
Total for Special Assessments and Privileges			$22,779.44

COMMERCIAL REVENUE—DEPARTMENTAL

General Government

Selectmen:			
Sale of Sewing Machines	$25.00		
Rental Fee—Franklin Square	15.00		
Rental Fee—Legion Hall	5.00		
Rental Fee—Concrete Material Building	25.00		
Rental Fee—Old Iron Works	2.00	$ 72.00	
Public Works:			
Sale of Old Trucks and Equipment	$150.00	150.00	
Treasurer:			
Releases of Tax Titles	$242.00		
Land Court Costs	89.50		
Low Value Sales Costs	164.60	496.10	
Tax Collector:			
Costs on Poll Taxes	$217.70		
Costs on Excise Taxes	333.95		
Costs on Property Taxes	272.14		
Water Lien Releases and Tax Certificates	228.00		
Costs on Water Charges	120.00	1,171.79	
Town Hall:			
Rentals	$175.00	175.00	
Total for General Government			$2,064.89

Protection of Persons and Property

Fire Department:			
Sale of old truck	$160.00	$ 160.00	

Building Inspector:			
Building Permits	$992.00		
Signs over Sidewalks	21.00		
Insulation	12.00		
		1,025.00	
Police Department:			
Revolver Permits	$35.50		
		35.50	
Sealer Weights and Measures:			
Sealing Fees	$18.88		
State Hawkers Permit	40.00		
		58.88	
Total for Protection of Persons and Property			$1,279.38

Health and Sanitation

Health Department:			
Licenses and Permits	$2,357.38		
Dental Clinic Fees	126.75		
Plumbing Permits	345.00		
Vital Statistics	.25		
		$2,829.38	
Sewer Department:			
Sewer Rentals	$2,093.84		
		2,093.84	
Total for Health and Sanitation			$4,923.22

Charities and Soldiers' Benefits

Old Age Assistance:			
From the State	$46,884.89		
From Cities and Towns	2,230.72		
From State Meal Tax	3,569.27		
From Recoveries	550.00		
		$53,234.88	
Aid to Dependent Children:			
From the State	$3,200.30		
		3,200.30	
Temporary Aid:			
From the State	$2,088.57		
From Cities and Towns	1,128.11		
From Individuals	441.00		
		3,657.68	
Infirmary:			
Sale of Produce	$140.00		
Board and Room	500.00		
Lease of Land for Rifle Range	1.00		
		641.00	
Soldiers' Benefits:			
From the State	$2,418.50		
		2,418.50	
Total for Charities and Soldiers' Benefits			$63,152.36

Schools and Libraries

School Department:			
City of Boston Wards	$153.64		
State Wards	828.20		
Other Tuition	284.84		
Miscellaneous	596.43		
		$1,863.11	

Library:			
Book Fines	$674.61		
		674.61	
Total for Schools and Libraries			$2,537.72

Recreation and Unclassified

Insurance:			
Compensation Recoveries	$ 409.09		
Damage—Armitage School	3,392.43		
		$3,801.52	
Total for Recreation and Unclassified			$3,801.52

Enterprise and Cemeteries

Water Department:			
Water Rates	$43,466.22		
Water Liens Added to Taxes	1,798.07		
		$45,264.29	
Cemetery Department:			
Sale of Lots and Graves	$1,485.00		
Care of Lots	1,619.00		
Interment Fees	3,905.00		
Foundations	949.00		
Rent	275.00		
Insurance Refund	2.00		
Interest on P. C. Funds	2,852.42		
		11,087.42	
Total for Enterprise and Cemeteries			$56,351.71

Interest

On 1945 Poll	$ 3.24		
On 1945 and Prior Property Taxes	1,543.67		
On 1946 Property Taxes	149.84		
On 1946 Motor Vehicle Taxes	11.83		
On 1945 and Prior M.V.E. Taxes	13.57		
		$ 1,722.15	
On Tax Title Redemptions	$9,149.15		
Excess T. T. Interest from State	1,142.15		
		10,291.30	
On Trust Funds:			
Johnson Library Fund	$156.25		
Wilson Library Fund	51.63		
Kimball Welfare Fund	125.00		
Post-War Rehabilitation Fund	218.75		
		551.63	
Total for Interest			$12,565.08

AGENCY AND TRUST

Cemetery Perpetual Care Bequests	$ 8,687.50		
Dog Licenses for County	3,383.60		
Withholding Tax Deductions	47,910.14		
Tailings (Outstanding Checks)	438.75		
War Bonus Withdrawn for Transfer	5,000.00		
Retirement-System Overpayment	6.46		
Guarantee Deposits—Planning Board	240.00		
Reinvestment of Trust Funds	55,100.00		
		$120,766.45	
Total for Agency and Trust			$120,766.45

Indebtedness

Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes	$500,000.00		
		$500,000.00	
Total Indebtedness			$500,000.00
Total Commercial Revenue		$790,221.77	
Total General & Commercial Revenue			$1,849,834.15

DEPARTMENTAL REFUNDS

O.A.A.—Aid	$1,524.80		
Public Welfare	186.26		
Soldiers' Relief	86.21		
Public Works (Salaries & Wages)	7.04		
State and Military Aid	5.00		
Police Department	1.50		
A. D. C.—Aid	226.42		
Board of Health	2.00		
School Department	84.47		
Foreclosure of Tax Titles	131.90		
Town Building Repairs	40.96		
		$2,296.56	
Total for Refunds			$2,296.56

TRANSFERS

Reserve Fund		$4,518.19	
Saugus River Dredging	$7,500.00		
Celebration for World War II Veterans	4,000.00		
Chapter 90 Construction—Central Street	2,000.00		
Town Building Repairs	2,000.00		
World War II Memorial	1,000.00		
Insurance Receipts	1,577.00		
Reimbursement by County for Dog Licenses	2,188.65		
National Defense Committee	600.00		
Income from Perpetual Care Funds	2,684.83		
Reserve for Payment of Sewer Loans	5,904.39		
Surplus War Bonus	5,000.00		
		34,454.87	
Total for Transfers			$38,973.06
Total Receipts ,Refunds and Transfers			$1,891,103.77
Cash on Hand January 1, 1946			144,433.18
			$2,035,536.95

1946 EXPENDITURES

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Finance Committee:		
Personal Services:		
Secretary	$325.00	
Other Expenses:		
Printing and Advertising	83.90	
Telephone	7.68	
Dues	10.00	
		$426.58

Planning Board:		
Personal Services:		
Secretary	$204.00	
Engineer	262.80	
Other Expenses:		
Supplies	12.95	
Dues	15.00	
Postage	5.00	
Stenographic Service	6.00	
Advertising	17.00	
		522.75
Board of Appeals:		
Personal Services:		
Secretary		200.00
Board of Selectmen:		
Personal Services:		
Chairman	$500.40	
Other Members	700.00	
Secretary	593.64	
Collector of License Fees	100.00	
Other Expenses:		
Printing and Advertising	380.80	
Telephones	234.67	
Postage and Bonds	11.40	
Posting Warrants	90.00	
Supplies	53.40	
Dues	9.00	
Use of Car	125.00	
		2,798.31
Accounting Department:		
Personal Services:		
Town Accountant	$3,058.48	
Clerical	3,205.68	
Other Expenses:		
Printing and Advertising	150.75	
Stationery and Postage	44.78	
Office Supplies	225.27	
Telephone	95.23	
Dues and Subscriptions	20.00	
Binding	1.65	
Repairs	13.35	
		6,815.19
New Accounting System :		
Expenses:		
Machine Repairs		6.16
Treasury Department:		
Personal Services:		
Treasurer	$1,000.00	
Clerical	5,411.12	
Other Expenses:		
Printing and Advertising	36.25	
Stationery and Postage	304.59	
Supplies	177.69	
Telephone	101.37	
Bond	253.00	
Insurance	106.06	
Dues	2.00	
		7,392.08

Registration of Town Notes:		
Expenses:		
14 Notes @ $2.00		28.00
Foreclosure of Tax Titles:		
Expenses:		
Recording Fees	$ 641.75	
Legal Fees	2,416.00	
Postage	83.56	
		3,141.31
Tax Collector Department:		
Personal Services:		
Tax Collector	$2,950.00	
Clerical	5,084.23	
Other Expenses:		
Printing and Advertising	465.25	
Stationery and Postage	899.00	
Office Supplies	387.33	
Telephone	99.04	
Bonds	446.25	
Insurance	72.50	
Dues and Association Expenses	88.50	
		10,492.10
Tax Title Expense:		
Expenses:		
Printing and Advertising	$246.50	
Recording Fees	220.00	
		466.50
Assessing Department:		
Personal Services:		
Chairman	$ 600.00	
Other Members	1,000.00	
Clerical	6,140.22	
Other Expenses:		
Printing and Advertising	92.75	
Supplies	974.58	
Telephone	96.97	
Transportation	200.00	
Deputies	675.00	
Searching Records	310.78	
Dues and Subscriptions	18.00	
Postage	89.50	
		10,197.80
Revaluation of all Real Estate:		
Expenses:		
Appraisers (contract)	$3,669.95	
Supplies	65.00	
Clerical	383.40	
		4,118.35
Law Department:		
Personal Services:		
Town Counsel	$1,210.00	
Other Expenses:		
Printing and Advertising	33.75	
Stationery and Printing	6.00	
Court Appearances	250.00	
Supplies	30.00	
Recording Fees	12.00	
Telephone	19.45	

Legal Services	100.00	
Transcriptions	8.55	
Stenographic Services	100.00	
Dues	10.00	
		1,779.75
Town Counsel: To Determine Town's Rights re: Water:		
Expenses:		
Legal		500.00
Town Clerk Department:		
Personal Services:		
Town Clerk	$500.00	
Clerical	437.80	
Other Expenses:		
Printing and Advertising	154.50	
Stationery and Postage	30.00	
Supplies	112.40	
Telephone	39.38	
Bonds	7.50	
Repair Vault	24.65	
Convention Expense	39.00	
		1,345.23
Election & Registration Department:		
Personal Services:		
Registrars (3)	$750.00	
Secretary (1)	300.00	
Clerical	1,617.55	
Other Expenses:		
Printing and Advertising	913.25	
Stationery and Postage	22.43	
Supplies	297.04	
Precinct Officers	2,036.00	
Police	300.00	
Election Inspectors	84.00	
Janitors	183.00	
Deputy Registrars	500.00	
Rent	30.00	
Binding	2.75	
Election—Clerical	258.00	
Posting Warrants	48.00	
Recount	144.00	
		7,486.02
Town Hall:		
Personal Services:		
Custodians	$4,180.02	
Relief Custodian	190.55	
Other Expenses:		
Fuel	787.89	
Light	657.38	
Materials and Supplies	254.85	
Equipment Repairs	262.55	
Water	40.00	
Sunday & Holiday Work	90.00	
		6,463.24
Town Building Repairs:		
Infirmary	$1,086.12	
Town Hall	442.56	
Town Hall Fire Escape	1,268.28	
		2,796.96

Public Works Department:			
Personal Services:			
Acting Superintendent	$3,225.00		
Clerical	4,119.70		
		7,344.70*	
Other Expenses (excluding salaries):			
Printing and Advertising	$ 37.00		
Stationery and Postage	15.00		
Telephone	682.96		
Light and Fuel	1,364.47		
Supplies	218.97		
Use of Car	275.00		
Water	15.00		
Subscriptions	9.00		
Repairs	49.50		
Registrations	32.00		
		2,698.90	
Engineering:			
Personal Services:			
Acting Engineer	$2,602.40		
Assistant	2,602.40		
		5,204.80*	
Expenses (excluding salaries):			
Materials and Supplies	$183.11		
Gas and Oil	54.29		
Repairs and Equipment	12.60		
		250.00	
Total for General Government			$82,474.73

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Police Department:		
Personal Services:		
Chief	$ 3,500.00	
Officers and Patrolmen	37,085.66	
Reserve Officers	669.60	
Matron	125.00	
Other Expenses:		
Printing and Advertising	10.00	
Stationery and Postage	36.00	
Materials and Supplies	191.14	
Telephone and Teletype	1,831.16	
Equipment Repairs	978.77	
Gas and Oil	960.37	
Binding	1.75	
New Patrol Car	793.40	
Luncheons for Prisoners	10.37	
Laundry	14.38	
Radio Maintenance	337.77	
Uniforms	429.45	
		$46,974.82

*Part of appropriation titled "Public Works & Allied Divisions—Salaries only."

Fire and Police Building Maintenance:		
Personal Services:		
Custodian	$1,981.98	
Relief Custodian	76.22	

Other Expenses:		
Fuel	739.46	
Light	701.71	
Repairs	64.55	
Materials and Supplies	62.43	
Water	73.32	
		3,699.67
Town Constable:		
Personal Services:		
Constable		100.00
Fire Department:		
Personal Services:		
Engineers	$ 400.00	
Chief	3,318.50	
Officers and Firemen	41,988.00	
Call Firemen	1,647.52	
Other Expenses:		
Printing and Advertising	15.25	
Stationery and Printing	10.00	
Telephone	183.05	
Equipment and Repairs	2,089.81	
Gas and Oil	396.88	
Station Supplies	355.69	
Equipment for Men	208.82	
Laundry	22.12	
Chemicals and Oxygen	309.98	
Hose	575.00	
Radio Maintenance	65.90	
Snow Removal	24.00	
Medical	39.34	
Uniforms	735.04	
		52,384.90
Fire Alarm Division:		
Personal Services:		
Superintendent	$726.00	
Labor	796.20	
Other Expenses:		
Materials and Supplies	254.75	
Equipment Repairs	496.90	
Telephone	35.34	
Power	66.70	
Printing	29.50	
		2,405.39
Forest Fires:		
Expenses:		
Labor	$324.39	
Luncheons	5.03	
Equipment	79.45	
		408.87
Building Inspector:		
Personal Services:		
Building Inspector	$2,774.00	
Other Expenses:		
Supplies	43.31	
Telephone	107.44	
Use of Car	400.00	
Printing	68.75	
Binding	6.50	
		3,400.00

Sealer Weights and Measures:			
Personal Services:			
Sealer	$1,200.00		
Other Expenses:			
Use of Car	300.00		
		1,500.00	
Gypsy Moths:			
Personal Services:			
Superintendent	$2,500.00		
Labor	3,923.57		
Other Expenses:			
Materials and Supplies	285.80		
Gas and Oil	193.64		
Garage Rent	144.00		
Equipment Repairs	524.20		
Anti-Freeze	5.94		
Fuel	9.56		
Registration	2.00		
		7,588.71	
Tree Warden:			
Personal Services:			
Tree Warden	$144.00		
Labor	891.45		
Other Expenses:			
Telephone	26.79		
Materials and Supplies	209.62		
Equipment Repairs	31.00		
Gas and Oil	41.12		
Trees	398.00		
Convention Expense	5.50		
		1,747.48	
Public Safety Committee:			
Expenses:			
Posters		39.00	
National Defense Committee:			
Expenses:			
Rent	$32.00		
Bond	5.00		
		37.00	
Secretary (War Price & Rationing):			
Personal Services:			
Secretary		440.00	
Rationing Board:			
Expenses:			
Telephone		18.20	
Storm Damage Emergency of 6/8/46:			
Personal Services:			
Labor	$1,705.73		
Other Expenses:			
Equipment and Repairs	220.54		
Materials and Supplies	68.09		
Fuel	4.78		
		1,999.14	
Total for Protection of Persons and Property			$122,743.18

HEALTH AND SANITATION

Health Department:		
Personal Services:		
Chairman	$ 450.00	
Other Members	843.75	
Health Agent	3,346.00	
Health Nurse	1,976.04	
Clerk	1,976.04	
Relief Plumbing Inspector	120.00	
Other Expenses:		
Use of Car	776.00	
Gas and Oil	15.67	
Printing and Advertising	145.75	
Stationery and Postage	32.00	
Express	13.95	
Telephone	215.83	
Materials and Supplies	405.39	
Equipment and Repairs	216.86	
Tuberculosis Board and Care	2,635.60	
Medicine and Medical Care	489.65	
Anti-Rabic Treatment	74.00	
Bury Dead Animals	293.00	
Dental Clinic	500.00	
Board Dogs	46.00	
		14,571.53
Purchase New Car—Health Department		1,250.00
Vital Statistics:		
Expenses:		
Births	$ 1.00	
Deaths	32.75	
Issuing Fees	34.50	
		68.25
Collection of Garbage:		
Disposal Contract		6,000.00
Removal of Ashes:		
Personal Services:		
Labor	$6,331.54*	
		6,331.54*
Other Expenses:		
Equipment and Repairs	$205.85	
Gas and Oil	370.65	
Supplies	.50	
Registration	1.00	
Advertising	22.00	
		600.00
Mosquito Control:		
Commonwealth of Massachusetts		850.00
Sewer Division:		
(Maintenance Only)		
Personal Services:		
Collector of Assessments		100.00*
Other Expenses:		
Gas and Oil	$ 30.48	
Materials and Supplies	15.13	
Light and Power	1,632.34	
Fuel	584.80	
Equipment Repairs	1,769.48	

Water	10.00	
Stone and Gravel	36.67	
Outfall Rental Fee	421.00	
		4,499.90
(Construction Only)		
Personal Services:		
Labor	$8,231.76	
Other Expenses:		
Materials and Supplies	75.33	
Gas and Oil	379.29	
Sand, Gravel, Cement, Stone	363.32	
Fuel	38.24	
Equipment Repairs	966.46	
Pipe	329.77	
Bricks	139.65	
Light	150.72	
		10,674.54
Total for Health and Sanitation		$44,945.76

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HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

Highways:		
Personal Services:		
Labor		$28,841.19*
Other Expenses		
Printing and Advertising	$ 34.00	
Materials and Supplies	352.54	
Fuel	46.13	
Equipment and Repairs	2,490.11	
Gas and Oil	1,214.72	
Sand, Gravel, Stone	633.80	
Cement, Pipe, Fittings	24.74	
Bitumols	2,602.71	
Water	5.00	
Signs	19.45	
Lumber	30.15	
Rentals	30.00	
Postage	15.00	
		7,498.35
Resurfacing:		
Bitumols	$5,145.96	
Sand, Gravel, Stone	1,822.72	
Materials and Supplies	31.32	
		7,000.00
Grade, Oil and Sand Streets:		
Bitumols	$ 509.60	
Sand, Gravel, Stone	2,463.19	
Materials and Supplies	19.92	
		2,992.71
Snow and Ice Removal:		
Personal Services:		
Labor	$10,128.73	

Other Expenses:			
Gas and Oil	791.78		
Sand and Salt	2,080.04		
Luncheons	244.59		
Plowing	991.43		
Materials and Supplies	68.62		
Equipment and Repairs	2,694.81		
		17,000.00	
Street Lighting:			
Expenses:			
Town Streets	$15,949.07		
Salem Turnpike	682.10		
		16,631.17	
Road Machinery and Equipment:			
New Trucks (2)	$6,500.00		
New Gasoline Roller	3,594.00		
Transport roller from R. I.	77.25		
Build Hoist for Truck	250.00		
Dump Body and Hoist	1,088.00		
Sand Spreader	485.00		
Plow Frame and Power Lift	360.00		
		12,354.25	
Chapter 90 Land Damage, Hesper Street:			
Expenses:			
Land Damage		3,869.50	
Resurface Guild Road:			
Expenses:			
Materials		583.16	
Surface Drain, Lincoln Avenue:			
Expenses:			
Pipe	$2,686.70		
Materials and Supplies	586.91		
Equipment Repairs	100.00		
Gas and Oil	157.84		
Fuel	4.95		
		3,536.40	
Total for Highways and Bridges			$100,306.73

CHARITIES AND SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

Old Age Assistance—Aid:			
Expenses:			
Cash	$117,870.56		
Cities and Towns	2,379.49		
		$120,250.05	
Old Age Assistance—Administration:			
Personal Services:			
Bureau (3)	$ 300.00		
Welfare Agent	2,394.74		
Clerical	1,427.52		
Other Expenses:			
Use of Car	240.00		
Printing and Advertising	9.00		
Telephone	7.20		
Supplies	26.44		
		4,404.90	

Aid to Dependent Children—Aid:		
Expenses:		
Cash		14,202.32
Aid to Dependent Children—Admn.:		
Personal Services:		
Welfare Agent	$449.57	
Clerical	518.75	
Other Expenses:		
Use of Car	48.00	
Supplies	3.17	
		1,019.49
Public Welfare—Temporary Aid:		
Personal Services:		
Chairman	$ 450.00	
Other Members	750.00	
Social Worker	176.52	
Clerical	1,734.52	
Other Expenses:		
Cash	3,832.74	
Use of Car	12.00	
Groceries	2,729.56	
Stationery and Postage	15.00	
Telephone	112.12	
Office Supplies	63.00	
Medicine and Medical Care	457.21	
Clothing	3.45	
Fuel	291.46	
Board and Care	327.90	
Cities and Towns	2,599.23	
Other Institutions	2,551.00	
Insurance	6.20	
		16,111.91
Infirmary:		
Personal Services:		
Superintendent	$767.81	
Matron	767.81	
Labor	99.00	
Other Expenses:		
Telephone	43.01	
Groceries	1,839.97	
Clothing	197.09	
Light and Fuel	831.23	
Medicine and Medical Care	43.59	
Materials and Supplies	355.30	
Equipment and Repairs	220.63	
Gas and Oil	114.01	
Grain and Feed	939.21	
Insurance	69.60	
Water	50.00	
Stock	105.00	
Shoe Horses	14.00	
		6,457.26

Soldiers' Relief:			
Personal Services:			
Director	$ 1,089.00		
Other Expenses			
Cash	13,098.00		
Groceries	90.49		
Light and Fuel	1,054.09		
Medicine and Medical Care	2,346.00		
Clothing	40.90		
Stationery and Postage	12.00		
Office Supplies	99.30		
Telephone	55.21		
Board and Care	246.69		
Use of Car	300.00		
Dues	5.00		
Rent	140.00		
		18,576.68	
State Aid, Military Aid and World War II Allowances:			
Expenses:			
State Aid	$ 460.00		
Military Aid	2,084.60		
World War II Allowances	467.50		
		3,012.10	
Total for Charities and Soldiers' Benefits			$184,034.71

SCHOOLS AND LIBRARIES

Schools:			
Personal Services:			
Superintendent	$ 4,432.96		
Teachers	217,193.81		
Janitors	23,672.20		
School Nurse	2,159.90		
Clerks	4,230.20		
Physicians	1,600.00		
Band Director	1,635.44		
Other Expenses:			
Supplies	8,969.97		
Books	4,465.60		
Band	381.33		
Transportation of Pupils	8,252.00		
Printing and Advertising	355.85		
Stationery and Postage	153.00		
Telephone	730.04		
Fuel	12,914.69		
Light	2,381.69		
Furniture and Equipment	2,690.75		
Tuition	456.73		
Census	69.03		
Freight and Express	276.18		
Special Police	34.00		
Laundry	167.66		
Care of Grounds	201.05		
Diplomas	175.37		
Water	659.13		
Teachers' Military Service Deduction	430.01		
Cleaning Cesspools	50.00		
Medical Services	4.00		
Repair Armitage School	1,313.48		
		300,056.07	

Schoolhouse Repairs:			
Expenses:			
Plumbing	$ 444.35		
Carpentry	2,925.60		
Electrical	119.22		
Materials and Supplies	7,507.13		
		10,996.30	
Trade School Tuition:			
Expenses:			
City of Boston	$ 53.00		
City of Everett	1,873.22		
City of Lynn	887.86		
City of Somerville	149.99		
		2,964.07	
Trade School Tuition 1945 Unpaid Bills:			
Expenses:			
City of Everett		882.01	
Stadium Maintenance:			
Personal Services:			
Custodian	$1,000.00		
Expenses:			
Light and Fuel	62.40		
Repairs	354.76		
Materials	141.36		
Water	12.66		
Labor on Field	409.12		
Special Police Duty	13.00		
		1,993.30	
New Heating System, Roby School:			
Expenses:			
Installation of Boiler		8,600.00	
Library:			
Personal Services:			
Librarian	$1,963.50		
Assistant Librarians (2)	3,551.51		
General Assistants	1,127.01		
Janitors	630.00		
Other Expenses:			
Books	2,324.41		
Periodicals	247.32		
Supplies	239.27		
Printing and Advertising	7.74		
Stationery and Postage	10.59		
Telephone	84.34		
Fuel	329.83		
Light	322.88		
Rent	117.00		
Sewer Rental and Water	15.00		
Cartage of Books	76.75		
Binding	478.15		
Equipment and Repairs	342.71		
Transportation	31.00		
		11,899.01	
Total for Schools and Libraries			$337,390.76

RECREATION AND UNCLASSIFIED

Playgrounds:		
Personal Services:		
Instructors and Labor	$2,090.03	
Other Expenses:		
Materials and Supplies	758.43	
Equipment Repairs	69.55	
Printing and Advertising	9.25	
Truck Hire	52.00	
		$2,979.26
Departmental Pensions:		
Police:		
Roland L. Mansfield	$1,300.00	
Mrs. Peter Flaherty	520.00	
James P. Sullivan	251.19	
Clarence Berrett	251.19	
Fire:		
Lucy Mathewson	780.00	
Georgena Joy	520.00	
World War I Veterans:		
Edgar H. MacDougall	800.00	
Ernest A. Merrithew	1,401.00	
		5,823.38
Contributory Retirement Fund:		
Pensions	$4,201.00	
Military Service Fund	1,321.56	
Expense Fund	2,177.44	
		7,700.00
Judgments and Settlements:		
Expenses:		
Wendell C. & Katherine Brooks	15.00	
Jessie M. Teague and Thomas H. Driscoll, Atty.	75.00	
Stanley Edgecomb and Agnes M. Edgecomb	40.00	
Henry E. & Catherine Goodwin	15.00	
Arthur S. Ambagie	14.60	
		159.60
Memorial Day Exercises:		
Expenses:		
Postage and Printing	$ 15.00	
Bands	50.00	
Flowers	312.00	
Transportation and Lunches	75.00	
Quartette	30.00	
Amplifying	35.00	
		517.00
Print & Distribute Town Reports:		
Advertising	$ 12.00	
Printing	1,268.44	
Delivery	125.00	
		1,405.44

Insurance:			
Expenses:			
Fire (Schedule)	$4,855.21		
Fire (Grandstand)	187.50		
Fire (Old Iron Works)	96.85		
Auto, Fire and Theft	383.33		
Auto Liability and Property Damage	789.65		
Compensation and Liability	2,750.36		
Boilers	936.92		
		9,999.82	
Tax Title Validity:			
Expenses:			
Legal Services		648.00	
Repairs to Legion Building:			
Expenses:			
Materials and Supplies	$49.62		
Labor	35.00		
		84.62	
Legion Building—Heat & Light:			
Expenses:			
Heat and Light		300.00	
Rental V. F. W. Quarters:			
Expenses:			
Rent		414.00	
World War II Honor Roll:			
Expenses:			
Printing and Advertising	$ 13.50		
Erection of Memorial	4,986.50		
		5,000.00	
Total for Recreation and Unclassified			$35,031.12

ENTERPRISE AND CEMETERIES

Water Purchase:			
Expenses:			
City of Lynn	$16,289.85		
City of Melrose	1,012.12		
Metropolitan District Comm.	18.80		
		$17,320.77	
Water Maintenance:			
Personal Services:			
Collector of Water Rates	300.00		
Labor	22,254.85		
		22,554.85*	
Expenses (excluding labor):			
Pipe and Fittings	$ 338.84		
Equipment and Repairs	2,965.00		
Materials and Supplies	537.39		
Gas and Oil	977.41		
Cement and Gravel	235.89		
Printing and Advertising	145.00		
Stationery and Postage	357.60		
Telephone	.28		
Fuel	133.72		
Power and Light	1,586.28		
Luncheons	43.09		
Recording Liens	59.50		
Storage Rental	120.00		
		7,500.00	

Water Extensions:		
Expenses:		
Pipe and Fittings	$405.13	
Gravel	34.92	
Equipment and Repairs	210.05	
Supplies	47.65	
Gas and Oil	82.25	
Fuel	20.00	
		800.00

*Part of appropriation titled "Public Works & Allied Divisions—Salaries only."

Lay 10" Water Main Lower Hesper Street:		
Expenses:		
Pipe	$2,657.62	
Freight	21.53	
		2,679.15
Hydrants, Gates & Meters:		
Expenses:		
Hydrant Parts	$1,501.10	
Hydrant Repairs	9.50	
Anti-Freeze	30.00	
Express	10.74	
		1,551.34
Water Services:		
Expenses:		
Pipe and Fittings	$1,677.49	
Materials and Supplies	18.86	
Gas and Oil	3.65	
		1,700.00
Cemetery Department:		
Personal Services:		
Superintendent	$ 2,950.00	
Labor	13,404.92	
Clerical	1,065.70	
Expenses:		
Materials and Supplies	1,714.32	
Equipment and Repairs	1,191.51	
Telephone	80.50	
Light and Fuel	107.03	
Gas and Oil	395.81	
Printing and Advertising	113.50	
Stationery and Postage	39.00	
Trees and Shrubs	247.00	
Sand and Loam	350.00	
Bond and Insurance	50.88	
Water	35.24	
Use of Car	250.00	
		21,995.41
New Veterans' Lots in Riverside Cemetery:		
Expenses:		
Plowing	$ 15.00	
Supplies	3.00	
Materials and Labor	1,012.00	
Setting Curbing	5,600.00	
Bulldozer Rental	48.00	
Grading	175.00	
		6,853.00

TOWN OF SAUGUS, MASSACHUSETTS

Summarized Statement of Appropriations, Disbursements and Available Funds for the Year Ending December 31, 1946

APPROPRIATION ACCOUNTS:	Balance Carried Over from 1945	Revenue Appropriation Annual Town Meeting	Transferred from Reserve Fund	Refunds	OTHER CREDITS Source	Amount	Total Credits	Disbursements	BALANCES Reverting to Surplus	Carried Over to 1947
GENERAL GOVERNMENT:										
Moderator										
Finance Committee		$ 450.00					$ 450.00	$ 426.58	$ 23.42	
Planning Board		525.00	$ 8.00				533.00	530.75	2.25	
Board of Appeals		200.00					200.00	200.00		
Board of Selectmen		2,500.00	300.00				2,800.00	2,798.31	1.69	
Accounting Department		6,800.00	100.00				6,900.00	6,815.19	84.81	
New Accounting System	$ 44.73						44.73	6.10	38.67	
Treasury Department		7,400.00					7,400.00	7,392.08	7.92	
Registration of Town Notes		50.00					50.00	28.00	22.00	
Foreclosure of Tax Titles	36.16	3,000.00		$131.00			3,168.96	3,141.31	26.75	
Tax Collector		10,500.00					10,500.00	10,492.10	7.90	
Tax Title Expense		500.00					500.00	466.50	33.50	
Assessing Department		10,200.00					10,200.00	10,197.80	2.20	
Renew Assessors' Plans	172.61						172.61			$172.61
Revaluation of All Real Estate	4,647.46						4,647.46	4,118.35		529.11
Law Department		1,800.00					1,800.00	1,779.75	20.25	
Town Counsel—Determine Town's Rights-Water	500.00						500.00	500.00		
Town Clerk		1,350.00					1,350.00	1,345.23	4.77	
Election and Registration		7,350.00	137.00				7,487.00	7,486.92	.08	
Town Hall		6,500.00					6,500.00	6,403.24	96.76	
Town Building Repairs		5,000.00		40.96	To Soldiers' Relief	($800.00)	3,040.96	2,796.96	244.00	
Public Works (Salaries)*		7,344.70					7,344.70	7,344.70		
Public Works (Other Expenses)		2,700.00					2,700.00	2,698.90	1.10	
Engineering (Salaries)*		5,204.80					5,204.80	5,204.80		
Engineering (Other Expenses)		250.00					250.00	250.00		
Totals for General Government	$5,400.06	$79,624.50	$545.00	$172.86		($2,000.00)	$83,743.32	$82,482.73	$558.87	$701.72
PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY:										
Police Department		$46,975.00		$1.50			$46,976.50	$46,974.82	$ 1.68	
Fire and Police Building Maintenance		3,700.00					3,700.00	3,699.67	.33	
Town Constable		100.00					100.00	100.00		
Fire Department		52,400.00					52,400.00	52,384.90	15.10	
Fire Alarm Division		3,000.00					3,000.00	2,405.39	594.61	
Forest Fires		200.00	$ 300.00				500.00	408.87	91.13	
Building Inspector		3,400.00					3,400.00	3,400.00		
Sealer of Weights and Measures		1,500.00					1,500.00	1,500.00		
Gypsy Moths		8,100.00					8,100.00	7,588.71	511.29	
Tree Warden		1,750.00					1,750.00	1,747.48	2.52	
Public Safety Committee		75.00					75.00	39.00	36.00	
National Defense Committee	$2,087.77				To Departmental Pensions	($600.00)	1,487.77	37.00	1,450.77	
Secretary (War Price and Rationing)	440.00						440.00	440.00		
Rationing Board	30.00						30.00	18.20	11.80	
Storm Damage Emergency, June 8, 1946			2,000.00				2,000.00	1,999.14	.86	
Totals for Protection of Persons and Property	$2,557.77	$121,200.00	$2,300.00	$1.50		($600.00)	$125,459.27	$122,743.18	$2,716.09	
HEALTH AND SANITATION:										
Health Department		$16,000.00		$2.00			$16,002.00	$14,571.53	$1,430.47	
Vital Statistics		60.00	$10.00				70.00	68.25	1.75	
Removal of Garbage		6,000.00					6,000.00	6,000.00		
Purchase New Car—Board of Health		1,250.00					1,250.00	1,250.00		
Collection of Ashes (Salaries)*		6,331.54					6,331.54	6,331.54		
Collection of Ashes (Other Expenses)		600.00					600.00	600.00		
Mosquito Control		850.00					850.00	850.00		
Sewer Division (Maintenance Salaries)*		2,774.64					2,774.64	2,774.64		
Sewer Division (Maintenance Expense)		4,499.90					4,499.90	4,499.90		
Sewer Division (Construction Salaries)		5,557.12					5,557.12	5,557.12		
Sewer Division (Construction Expense)		2,442.98					2,442.98	2,442.78	.20	
Totals for Health and Sanitation		$46,366.18	$10.00	$2.00			$46,378.18	$44,945.76	$1,432.42	
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES:										
Highway Division (Salaries)*		$28,834.47		$7.04			$28,841.51	$28,841.19	.32	
Highway (Other Expense)		7,500.00					7,500.00	7,498.35	1.65	
Highway Resurfacing		7,000.00					7,000.00	7,000.00		
Highway, Grade, Oil and Sand		3,000.00					3,000.00	2,992.71	7.29	
Snow and Ice		17,000.00					17,000.00	17,000.00		
Street Lighting		17,500.00					17,500.00	16,631.17	868.83	
New Road Machinery and Equipment		12,450.00					12,450.00	12,354.25	95.75	
Chapter 90, Land Damages, Hesper Street		4,000.00					4,000.00	3,869.50		130.50
Chapter 90, Construction, Hesper Street		4,000.00	$1,250.00				5,250.00			5,250.00
Chapter 90, Land Damages, Sweetwater Street		100.00					100.00			100.00
Chapter 90, Construction, Sweetwater Street		2,000.00					2,000.00			2,000.00
Chapter 90, Land Damages, Central Street		1.00					1.00			1.00
Chapter 90, Construction, Central Street		2,000.00			To Public Welfare	($1,000.00)				
					To Infirmary	(1,000.00)				
Resurface Guild Road		1,351.00					1,351.00	583.16		767.84
Surface Drain, Centennial Avenue		1,850.00					1,850.00			1,850.00
Surface Drain, Lincoln Avenue		4,900.00					4,900.00	3,536.40		1,363.60
Surface Drain, Denver Street		1,980.00					1,980.00			1,980.00
Surface Drain, Hayden Road		950.00					950.00			950.00
Totals for Highways and Bridges		$116,410.47	$1,250.00	$7.04		($2,000.00)	$115,673.51	$100,306.73	$973.84	$14,392.04
CHARITIES AND SOLDIERS' BENEFITS:										
Old Age Assistance—Aid		$70,000.00		$1,524.80						
					From Saugus River Dredging	$ 7,500.00				
					From Celebration World War II Veterans	500.00				
					From U. S. Grants	45,738.73				
					From Recoveries	503.37	$125,766.90	$120,250.05	$5,516.85	
Old Age Assistance Administration		2,950.00			From U. S. Grants	1,533.65	4,483.05	4,404.90	78.75	
Aid to Dependent Children—Aid		9,600.00		226.42	From Celebration World War II Veterans	3,000.00				
					From U. S. Grants	2,393.35	14,619.77	14,202.32	417.45	
Aid to Dependent Children—Administration		700.00	$ .65		From U. S. Grant	318.84	1,019.49	1,019.49		
Public Welfare—Temporary Aid		15,000.00		186.26	From Chapter 90 Construction, Central Street	1,000.00	16,186.26	16,111.91	74.35	
Infirmary		5,100.00	400.00		From Chapter 90 Construction, Central Street	1,000.00	6,500.00	6,457.26	42.74	
Soldiers' Relief		16,000.00		86.21	From Celebration World War II Veterans	500.00				
					From Town Building Repairs	2,000.00	18,586.21	18,576.68	9.53	
State and Military Aid and World War II Allowances		3,000.00	7.10	5.00			3,012.10	3,012.10		
Totals for Charities and Soldiers' Benefits		$121,750.00	$407.75	$2,028.69		$65,987.94	$190,174.38	$184,034.71	$6,139.67	
SCHOOLS AND LIBRARIES:										
Schools		$300,000.00		$84.47			$300,084.47	$300,056.07	$ 28.40	
School house Repairs		10,000.00			From World War II Memorial Plans	$1,000.00	11,000.00	10,996.30	3.70	
Trade School Tuition		3,000.00					3,000.00	2,964.07	35.93	
Trade School Tuition 1945 Unpaid Bills		882.01					882.01	882.01		
Stadium Maintenance		2,500.00					2,500.00	1,993.30	506.70	
New Heating System—Roby School		7,500.00			From Insurance Receipts	1,577.00	9,077.00	8,600.00		$477.00
Library		9,711.35			From County Dog Licenses	2,188.65	11,900.00	11,899.01	.99	
Totals for Schools and Libraries		$333,593.36		$84.47		$4,765.65	$338,443.48	$337,390.76	$575.72	$477.00
RECREATION AND UNCLASSIFIED:										
Playgrounds		$3,000.00					$ 3,000.00	$2,979.26	$ 20.74	
Departmental Pensions		5,321.00			From National Defense Comm.	$ 600.00	5,921.00	5,823.38	97.62	
Contributary Retirement System		7,700.00					7,700.00	7,700.00		
Judgments and Settlements		500.00					500.00	159.60	340.40	
Memorial Day Exercises		600.00					600.00	517.00	83.00	
Printing and Delivering Town Reports		1,400.00	$5.44				1,405.44	1,405.44		
Insurance		10,000.00					10,000.00	9,999.82	.18	
Tax Title Validity		650.00					650.00	648.00		$ 2.00
Repair Roof and Door—Public Works Buildings	$326.35						326.35			326.35
Repairs to Legion Building	91.05						91.05	84.62		6.43
Legion Building—Heat and Light		300.00					300.00	300.00		
Rental—Veterans of Foreign Wars Quarters		500.00					500.00	414.00		86.00
World War II Memorial Plans and Specifications		2,000.00			To Schoolhouse Repairs	(1,000.00)	1,000.00			1,000.00
Celebration for World War II Veterans		4,000.00			To O.A.A.—Aid	(500.00)				
					To A. D. C.—Aid	(3,000.00)				
					To Soldiers' Relief	(500.00)				
World War II Honor Roll		5,000.00					5,000.00	5,000.00		
Saugus River Dredging		7,500.00			To O.A.A.—Aid	(7,500.00)				
Totals for Recreation and Unclassified	$417.40	$48,471.00	$5.44			($11,000.00)	$36,993.84	$35,031.12	$541.94	$1,420.78
ENTERPRISE AND CEMETERIES:										
Water Purchase		$17,500.00					$17,500.00	$17,320.77	$ 179.23	
Water Maintenance (Salaries)*		22,554.85					22,554.85	22,554.85		
Water Maintenance (Other Expenses)		7,500.00					7,500.00	7,500.00		
Water Extensions		4,800.00					4,800.00	3,479.15	1,320.85	
Hydrants, Gates and Meters		3,700.00					3,700.00	1,551.34	2,148.66	
Water Services		1,700.00					1,700.00	1,700.00		
Water Extension—Golden Hills Road		1,250.00					1,250.00			1,250.00
Water Extension—Hawkes Street		800.00					800.00			800.00
Cemetery		19,815.17			From Inc. from Perpetual Care Funds	$2,684.83	22,500.00	21,995.41	504.59	
New Veterans' Lot in Riverside Cemetery	$3,458.50	6,000.00					9,458.50	6,853.00		2,605.50
Wall Repair—Riverside Cemetery		500.00					500.00	490.00		10.00
Fill and Grade—Riverside Cemetery		3,000.00					3,000.00	2,885.18		114.82
Totals for Enterprises and Cemeteries	$3,458.50	$89,120.02				$2,684.83	$95,263.35	$86,329.70	$4,153.33	$4,780.32
INTEREST AND MATURING DEBT:										
Municipal Relief Loan		$ 1,000.00					$ 1,000.00	$ 1,000.00		
Fire and Police Station Loan		3,000.00					3,000.00	3,000.00		
Sewer Loans		7,095.61			From Res. for Payment of Sewer Loans	$5,904.39	18,000.00	18,000.00		
					From Surplus War Bonus	5,000.00				
Interest on Temporary Loans		6,000.00					6,000.00	3,107.50	$2,892.50	
Interest on Municipal Relief Loans		67.50					67.50	67.50		
Interest on Fire and Police Building Loan		877.50					877.50	877.50		
Interest on Sewer Bonds		10,065.00					10,065.00	10,065.00		
Interest on Water Loans		1,050.00					1,050.00		1,650.00	
Totals for Interest and Maturing Debts		$29,755.61				$10,004.39	$40,060.00	$36,117.50	$4,542.50	
TOTALS:	$11,834.63	$986,297.14	$4,518.10	$2,206.56		$67,842.81	$1,072,789.33	$1,029,382.19	$21,684.38	$21,772.76
Reserve Fund		6,000.00	(4,518.10)				1,481.81		1,481.81	
Balance Carried Forward	$ 11,834.63									
Annual Town Meeting Appropriations	992,297.14									
Miscellaneous Credits	70,139.37			(2,206.56)		(67,842.81)				
Total Disbursements Appropriation Accounts								1,029,382.19		
Unexpended Balances Reverting to Surplus								23,110.19	(23,110.19)	
Balances Carried Over to 1947								21,772.76		(21,772.76)
	$1,074,271.14						$1,074,271.14	$1,074,271.14		
NON-APPROPRIATION ACCOUNTS:										
War Bonus Fund	$5,676.85				From Interest	$ 28.38	$ 705.23			
					To Payment of Sewer Loans	(5,000.00)				$ 705.23
Sale of Cemetery Land Fund	3,050.00				From Sale of Lots and Graves	1,485.00	4,535.00			4,535.00
Dog License Reimbursement from County					From County	2,188.65				
					To Libraries	(2,188.65)				
Reserve for Payment of Sewer Loans	5,004.30				From Sewer Revenue	5,932.33				
					To Sewer Loan Account	(5,904.39)	5,932.33			5,932.33
Reserve for Payment of Tax Title Loans					From Redemption, Low Value Sales and Tax Possession Sales	48,205.89	48,205.89	$43,723.41		4,482.48
Old Age Assistance Recoveries	650.71				From Recoveries	550.00				
					To U. S. Grant	(503.37)				
					To State Accounts Receivable	(479.15)				
					To Estimated Receipts	(224.19)				
Income—Wilson Library Fund	159.81				From Interest	51.03	211.44	27.10		184.34
Income—Johnson Library Fund	224.33				From Interest	156.25	380.58	230.49		150.00
Income—Kimball Library Fund	175.46						175.46	68.42		107.04
Income—Kimball Welfare Fund	384.17				From Interest	125.00	509.17	13.00		496.17
Income—Post War Rehabilitation Fund					From Interest	218.75				
					To Post War Rehabilitation Fund	(218.75)				
Income—Perpetual Care Fund	2,184.83				From Interest	2,852.42				
					To Cemeteries	(2,684.83)	2,352.42			2,352.42
Guarantee Deposits—Planning Board	9.00				From Deposits	248.00	257.00	257.00		
Insurance Receipts					From Insurance Settlements	3,801.52				
					To New Heating System—Roby School	(1,577.00)				
					To Surplus Revenue	(2,224.52)				
	$18,425.56					$44,838.97	$63,264.52	$44,319.42		$18,945.10

*Part of Appropriation titled "Public Works and Allied Divisions—Salaries Only" amounting to $73,052.04.

Compiled by CARL E. CHAPMAN,
Acting Town Accountant.

Wall Repairs—Riverside Cemetery:			
Expenses:			
Repoint Wall		490.00	
Fill and Grade—Riverside Cemetery:			
Expenses:			
Advertising	$ 41.50		
Fill	2,700.00		
Equipment	103.68		
Labor	40.00		
		2,885.18	
Total for Enterprise and Cemeteries			$86,329.70

INTEREST AND MATURING DEBT

Maturities:			
Relief Loans	$ 1,000.00		
Fire and Police Station Loan	3,000.00		
Sewer Loans	18,000.00		
Tax Title Loans	43,543.11		
Temporary Loans	500,000.00		
		$565,543.11	
Interest:			
On Relief Loan	$ 67.50		
On F. & P. Station Loan	877.50		
On Sewer Loans	10,065.00		
On Tax Title Loans	1,163.54		
On Temporary Loans	1,943.96		
		14,117.50	
Total for Interest and Maturing Debt			$579,660.61

AGENCY AND TRUST

Federal:			
Withholding Tax Deductions		$47,910.14	
State:			
State Tax and Assessments:			
State Tax	$12,600.00		
Audit Municipal Accounts	1,730.77		
Exam. Retirement System	256.57		
Charles River Basin Loan	1,484.16		
Metropolitan Parks Loan Sinking Fund	5,164.06		
Metropolitan Parks—Nantasket Maintenance	477.04		
Metropolitan Parks Loan Sinking Fund Series 2	103.15		
Care of Civil War Veterans	120.00		
Smoke Inspection	207.33		
		22,143.08	
County:			
County Tax	$30,417.92		
Tuberculosis Hospital Assessment	9,317.86		
Dog Licenses	3,383.60		
		43,119.38	
Town:			
Guarantee Deposits—Planning Board:			
Printing and Advertising	$205.00		
Refunds	52.00		
		257.00	

Income-Wilson Library Fund:			
Books		27.10	
Income—Johnson Library Fund:			
Books		230.49	
Income—Kimball Library Fund:			
Books		68.42	
Income—Post-War Rehabilitation Fund:			
Accrued Interest	$ 218.75		
Investments	25,000.00		
		25,218.75	
Income—Kimball Welfare Fund:			
Truss		13.00	
Income—Perpetual Care Funds:			
Adjustment		10.00	
Tailings:			
Adjustment		.25	
Contributory Retirement System:			
Overpayment		6.46	
Reinvestment of Trust Funds:			
Johnson Library Fund	$5,000.00		
Wilson Library Fund	100.00		
		5,100.00	
Bequests:			
Perpetual Care Bequests		8,687.50	
Total for Agency and Trust			$152,791.57

REFUNDS

Taxes:			
1945 Real Estate	$ 192.15		
1946 Real Estate	1,437.60		
		$1,629.75	
1946 Personal		80.75	
Motor Vehicle Excise:			
Levy of 1946		72.89	
Water:			
June 1946 Water Rates		34.25	
Polls:			
Levy of 1941	$ 4.00		
Levy of 1942	4.00		
Levy of 1944	10.00		
Levy of 1945	12.00		
Levy of 1946	88.00		
		118.00	
Tax Titles:			
Redemptions		12.73	
Tax Possessions		50.00	
Total for Refunds			$1,998.37
Total Cash Expenditures and Refunds			$1,727,715.95

TRANSFERS

From Reserve Fund:	
To:	
Forest Fires	$ 300.00
Selectmen	300.00
Storm Damage Emergency of 6/8/46	2,000.00
Infirmary	400.00
Town Reports	5.44

Accounting Department	100.00	
Chapter 90 Construction— Hesper Street	1,250.00	
State and Military Aid	7.10	
Election and Registration...	137.00	
Planning Board	8.00	
Vital Statistics	10.00	
A. D. C. Administration	.65	
		$4,518.19
From Other Sources:		
To:		
Old Age Assistance	$ 8,000.00	
Aid to Dependent Children	3,000.00	
Welfare	1,000.00	
Infirmary	1,000.00	
Soldiers' Relief	2,500.00	
Schoolhouse Repairs	1,000.00	
New Heating System— Roby School	1,577.00	
Library	2,188.65	
Departmental Pensions	600.00	
Cemetery	2,684.83	
Sewers	10,904.39	
		34,454.87

Total for Transfers	$38,973.06
Total Cash Expenditures, Refunds & Transfers....	$1,766,680.30
Cash on Hand, December 31, 1946	268,856.65
Total	$2.035,536.95

RECAPITULATION OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

Cash Balance, January 1, 1946		$144,433.18	
Receipts:			
General Revenue	$1,059,612.38		
Commercial Revenue	790,221.77		
Refunds	2,296.56		
		1,852,130.71	
Transfers		38,973.06	
Total Receipts, Refunds and Transfers			$2,035,536.95
Expenditures:			
General Government	$ 82,474.73		
Protection Persons & Property	122,743.18		
Health and Sanitation	44,945.76		
Highways and Bridges	100,306.73		
Charities & Soldiers' Benefits	184,034.71		
Education and Libraries	337,390.76		
Recreation and Unclassified	35,031.12		
Enterprise and Cemeteries	86,329.70		
Interest & Maturing Debt..	579,660.61		
Agency and Trust	152,791.57		
Refunds	1,998.37		
		$1,727,707.24	
Transfers		38,973.06	
Total Expenditures, Refunds and Transfers			1,766,680.30
Cash on Hand, December 31, 1946			$268,856.65

Outstanding Bonds and Notes, Dec. 31, 1946

1938 Municipal Relief Loan Notes, Issued Under Chapter 58, Acts of 1938, November 15, 1938

Payable at National Shawmut Bank of Boston, Mass.

No. 597	Due November 15, 1947, at 2¼%	$1,000.00
No. 598	Due November 15, 1948, at 2¼%	1,000.00
		$2,000.00

1934 Fire and Police Station Loan Bonds, Issued December 31, 1934

Payable at National Shawmut Bank of Boston, Mass.

The following Bonds are registered and payable to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts:

Nos. 57-59	Due December, 1, 1947, at 3¼%	$3,000.00
Nos. 60-62	Due December 1, 1948, at 3¼%	3,000.00
Nos. 63-65	Due December 1, 1949, at 3¼%	3,000.00
Nos. 66-68	Due December 1, 1950, at 3¼%	3,000.00
Nos. 69-71	Due December 1, 1951, at 3¼%	3,000.00
Nos. 72-74	Due December 1, 1952, at 3¼%	3,000.00
Nos. 75-77	Due December 1, 1953, at 3¼%	3,000.00
Nos. 78-80	Due December 1, 1954, at 3¼%	3,000.00
		$24,000.00

1938 Sewer Loan Bonds, Issued May 1, 1948

(W.P.A. Project No. 16218—Saugus, Mass.)

Payable at National Shawmut Bank of Boston, Mass.

Nos. 49-54	Due May 1, 1947, at 2¾%	$6,000.00
Nos. 55-60	Due May 1, 1948, at 2¾%	6,000.00
Nos. 61-66	Due May 1, 1949, at 2¾%	6,000.00
Nos. 67-71	Due May 1, 1950, at 2¾%	5,000.00
Nos. 72-76	Due May 1, 1951, at 2¾%	5,000.00
Nos. 77-81	Due May 1, 1952, at 2¾%	5,000.00
Nos. 82-86	Due May 1, 1953, at 2¾%	5,000.00
Nos. 87-91	Due May 1, 1954, at 2¾%	5,000.00
Nos. 92-96	Due May 1, 1955, at 2¾%	5,000.00
Nos. 97-101	Due May 1, 1956, at 2¾%	5,000.00
Nos. 102-106	Due May 1, 1957, at 2¾%	5,000.00
Nos. 107-111	Due May 1, 1958, at 2¾%	5,000.00
Nos. 112-116	Due May 1, 1959, at 2¾%	5,000.00
Nos. 117-121	Due May 1, 1960, at 2¾%	5,000.00
Nos. 122-126	Due May 1, 1961, at 2¾%	5,000.00
Nos. 127-131	Due May 1, 1962, at 2¾%	5,000.00
Nos. 132-136	Due May 1, 1963, at 2¾%	5,000.00
		$88,000.00

1938 Sewer Loan Bonds Issued September 1, 1938

(P.W.A. Docket No. 1422-F)

Registered and Payable to Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Nos. 97-108	Due September 1, 1947, at 2¾%	$12,000.00
Nos. 109-120	Due September 1, 1948, at 2¾%	12,000.00
Nos. 121-132	Due September 1, 1949, at 2¾%	12,000.00

Payable at National Shawmut Bank of Boston, Mass.

Nos. 133-144	Due September 1, 1950, at 2¾%	$12,000.00
Nos. 145-156	Due September 1, 1951, at 2¾%	12,000.00
Nos. 157-168	Due September 1, 1952, at 2¾%	12,000.00
Nos. 169-180	Due Spetember 1, 1953, at 2¾%	12,000.00
Nos. 181-192	Due September 1, 1954, at 2¾%	12,000.00
Nos. 193-204	Due September 1, 1955, at 2¾%	12,000.00
Nos. 205-216	Due September 1, 1956, at 2¾%	12,000.00
Nos. 217-228	Due September 1, 1957, at 2¾%	12,000.00
Nos. 229-240	Due September 1, 1958, at 2¾%	12,000.00
Nos. 241-252	Due September 1, 1959, at 2¾%	12,000.00
Nos. 253-264	Due September 1, 1960, at 2¾%	12,000.00
Nos. 265-276	Due September 1, 1961, at 2¾%	12,000.00
Nos. 277-288	Due September 1, 1962, at 2¾%	12,000.00
Nos. 289-300	Due September 1, 1963, at 2¾%	12,000.00
Nos. 301-312	Due September 1, 1964, at 2¾%	12,000.00
Nos. 313-324	Due September 1, 1965, at 2¾%	12,000.00
Nos. 325-336	Due September 1, 1966, at 2¾%	12,000.00
Nos. 337-348	Due September 1, 1967, at 2¾%	12,000.00
Nos. 349-359	Due September 1, 1968, at 2¾%	11,000.00
		$263,000.00

Tax Title Notes

Payable to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts

No. 771	Due November 18, 1947, at 1%	$37,548.67
No. 772	Due December 1, 1947, at 1%	50,000.00
		$87,548.67

Outstanding Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes

(Merchants National Bank)

No. 767	Dated April 15, 1946	Due April 11, 1947, at .55%	$50,000.00
No. 768	Dated April 15, 1946	Due April 11, 1947, at .55%	50,000.00
No. 769	Dated April 15, 1946	Due April 11, 1947, at .55%	50,000.00
No. 770	Dated April 15, 1946	Due April 11, 1947, at .55%	50,000.00
			$200,000.00

Statement of Total Bonded Indebtedness

1938 Relief Loan		$ 2,000.00
1934 Fire and Police Station Loan		24,000.00
1938 Sewer Loan (May)	$ 88,000.00	
1938 Sewer Loan (September)	263,000.00	
		351,000.00
Total Bonded Indebtedness		$377,000.00

STATEMENT OF OTHER INDEBTEDNESS OUTSTANDING DECEMBER 31, 1946

Year of Loan	TAX TITLE LOANS	
1933	$165,000.00	
1934	80,000.00	
1935	82,600.00	
1936	157,000.00	
1937	75,000.00	
1938	75,000.00	
1939	100,000.00	
1940	50,000.00	
1941	50,000.00	
1942	none	
1943	none	
1944	none	
1945	none	
1946	none	
Total Tax Title Loans		$834,600.00

—Less—

Repaid:		
1933	$34,424.40	
1934	61,804.28	
1935	70,261.48	
1936	70,032.46	
1937	53,793.67	
1938	66,851.20	
1939	57,741.78	
1940	56,827.76	
1941	65,116.15	
1942	45,746.82	
1943	48,632.97	
1944	36,558.22	
1945	35,717.03	
1946	43,543.11	
Total Payments (deduct)		747,051.33
Total Outstanding Tax Title Loans 12/31/46		$87,548.67

RECAPITULATION OF TOWN INDEBTEDNESS

Bonded Debt:			
Inside Debt Limit	$166,280.00		
Outside Debt Limit	210,720.00		
Total Bonded Debt		$377,000.00	
Total Tax Title Loans		87,548.67	
Net Funded or Fixed Debt			$464,548.67
Temporary Loans Outstanding			200,000.00
Total Town Indebtedness			$664,548.67

Table of Town Debt, December 31, 1946, Showing Annual Payments of Principal to Be Raised— 1947 to 1968 Inclusive

	Relief Loan of Nov. 15/38 2¼ %	Fire & Police Station Loan of Dec. 1/34 3¼ %	Sewer Loan of May 1/38 Sewer Loan	Sewer Loan of Sept. 1/38 2¾ %	TOTALS
1947	$1,000.00	$3,000.00	$6,000.00	$12,000.00	$22,000.00
1948	1,000.00	3,000.00	6,000.00	12,000.00	22,000.00
1949		3,000.00	6,000.00	12,000.00	21,000.00
1950		3,000.00	5,000.00	12,000.00	20,000.00
1951		3,000.00	5,000.00	12,000.00	20,000.00
1952		3,000.00	5,000.00	12,000.00	20,000.00
1953		3,000.00	5,000.00	12,000.00	20,000.00
1954		3,000.00	5,000.00	12,000.00	20,000.00
1955			5,000.00	12,000.00	17,000.00
1956			5,000.00	12,000.00	17,000.00
1957			5,000.00	12,000.00	17,000.00
1958			5,000.00	12,000.00	17,000.00
1959			5,000.00	12,000.00	17,000.00
1960			5,000.00	12,000.00	17,000.00
1961			5,000.00	12,000.00	17,000.00
1962			5,000.00	12,000.00	17,000.00
1963			5,000.00	12,000.00	17,000.00
1964				12,000.00	12,000.00
1965				12,000.00	12,000.00
1966				12,000.00	12,000.00
1967				12,000.00	12,000.00
1968				11,000.00	11,000.00
	$2,000.00	$24,000.00	$88,000.00	$263,000.00	$377,000.00

Annual Payments of Interest to Be Paid 1947 to 1968 Inclusive on Above Loans

Due in:					
1947	$45.00	$780.00	$2,337.50	$7,232.50	$10,395.00
1948	22.50	682.50	1,172.50	6,902.50	9,780.00
1949		585.00	2,007.50	6,572.50	9,165.00
1950		487.50	1,856.25	6,242.50	8,586.25
1951		390.00	1,718.75	5,912.50	8,021.25
1952		292.50	1,581.25	5,582.50	7,456.25
1953		195.00	1,443.75	5,252.50	6,891.25
1954		97.50	1,306.25	4,922.50	6,326.25
1955			1,168.75	4,592.50	5,761.25
1956			1,031.25	4,262.50	5,293.75
1957			893.75	3,932.50	4,826.25
1958			756.25	3,602.50	4,358.75
1959			618.75	3,272.50	3,891.25
1960			481.25	2,942.50	3,423.75
1961			343.75	2,612.50	2,956.25
1962			206.25	2,282.50	2,488.75
1963			68.75	1,952.50	2,021.25
1964				1,622.50	1,622.50
1965				1,292.50	1,292.50
1966				962.50	962.50
1968				632.50	632.50
				302.50	302.50
	$67.50	$3,510.00	$19,992.50	$82,885.00	$106,455.00

TOWN OF SAUGUS, MASSACHUSETTS

Balance Sheet as of December 31, 1946

ASSETS

Cash:		
General:		
In Banks and Office	$268,856.65	
Special Deposits:		
Surplus War Bonus	705.23	
Advance for Petty Cash:		
Tax Collector	100.00	
		$269,661.88
Accounts Receivable:		
Taxes:		
Levy of 1945:		
Personal	$ 46.88	
Levy of 1946:		
Real Estate	94,838.61	
Personal	2,258.48	
Poll	430.00	
		97,573.97
Motor Vehicle Excise:		
Levy of 1946		1,911.78
Special Assessments:		
Unapportioned Sewer	$4,366.58	
Levy of 1946	688.29	
Committed Interest	146.97	
		5,201.84
Tax Titles		229,595.26
Tax Possessions		127,850.68
Departmental:		
Sewer Rentals:		
1944	$ 101.74	
1945	267.89	
1946	2,468.73	
Temporary Aid	123.80	
Aid to Dependent Children	1,779.97	
Estates of Deceased Persons	2,306.32	
		7,048.45

LIABILITIES AND RESERVES

Temporary Loans:		
In Anticipation of Taxes		$200,000.00
Tailings		1,082.77
State Assessments:		
Charles River Basin Loan Fund		27.64
Surplus War Bonus Fund		705.23
Reserve for Petty Cash Advance— Tax Collector		100.00
Reinvestment of Trust Funds		25,000.00
Sale of Cemetery Land Fund		4,535.00
Reserve for Payment of Sewer Loans		5,932.33
Reserve for Payment of Tax Title Loans		4,482.48
Real Estate Taxes—1945		4.95
Excess Proceeds from Sale of Tax Titles as Land of Low Value		44.04
Trust Fund Income:		
George M. Wilson Library Fund	$ 184.34	
Benjamin N. Johnson Library Fund	150.09	
Annie May Kimball Library Fund	107.04	
Ora Maitland Kimball Welfare Fund	496.17	
Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund	2,352.42	
		3,290.06
Reserve Fund—Overlay Surplus		2,149.24
Overlays Reserved for Abatements:		
Levy of 1945	$ 894.40	
Levy of 1946	11,182.06	
		12,076.46
Revenue Reserved Until Collected:		
Motor Vehicle Excise	$ 1,911.78	
Sewer Assessments	5,201.84	
Tax Titles	229,595.26	
Tax Possessions	127,850.68	
Departmental	7,048.45	
Water	22,450.92	
		394,058.93

Water Rates:		
December 1943	$ 2.00	
June 1944	3.89	
December 1944	222.10	
June 1945	945.47	
December 1945	1,956.19	
June 1946	4,706.21	
December 1946	13,501.77	
Water Liens Added to Taxes:		
Levy of 1945	6.00	
Levy of 1946	1,107.29	
		22,450.92
State Taxes and Assessments:		
Underestimates:		
Metropolitan Park Reservation	$422.49	
Abate Smoke Nuisance	47.55	
Metropolitan Nantasket Maintenance	27.93	
		497.97
Overdrawn or Unprovided for Accounts:		
1946 County Tax		696.23
Overlays:		
1936	$ 68.00	
1938	10.35	
1939	38.97	
1940	42.30	
1941	219.25	
1942	46.40	
1944	208.65	
		633.92
Loans Authorized		110,000.00

Renew Assessors' Plans	$ 172.61	
Revaluation All Real Estate	529.11	
Cap. 90—Land Damage, Hesper Street	130.50	
Chap. 90—Construction, Hesper Street	5,250.00	
Chap. 90—Land Damage, Sweetwater Street	100.00	
Chap. 90—Construction, Sweetwater Street	2,000.00	
Chap. 90—Land Damage, Central Street	1.00	
Resurface Guild Road	767.84	
Surface Drainage—Centennial Avenue	1,850.00	
Surface Drainage—Lincoln Avenue	1,363.60	
Surface Drainage—Denver Street	1,980.00	
Surface Drainage—Hayden Road	950.00	
New Heating System—Roby School	477.00	
Tax Title Validity	2.00	
Repairs to Stockroom—Public Works	326.35	
Repairs to Legion Building	6.43	
Rental—V. F. W. Quarters	86.00	
World War II Plans and Specifications	1,000.00	
Water Extension—Golden Hills Road	1,250.00	
Water Extension—Hawkes Street	800.00	
Lot in Riverside Cemetery for Veterans' Burial	2,605.50	
Wall Repair for Riverside Cemetery	10.00	
Fill and Grade Riverside Cemetery	114.82	
		21,772.76
Loans Authorized Unissued		110,000.00
Surplus Revenue		87,861.01

Deferred Revenue

Apportioned Sewer Assessments Not Due	$14,894.63	Apportioned Sewer Assessment Revenue:		
		Due in 1947	$3,452.47	
		Due in 1948	3,441.68	
Suspended Sewer Assessments	245.93	Due in 1949	3,436.34	
		Due in 1950	3,431.24	
		Due in 1951	727.81	
		Due in 1952	312.69	
		Due in 1953	92.40	
				$14,894.63
		Suspended Sewer Assessment Revenue		245.93
	$15,140.56			$15,140.56

Debt Account

Net Funded or Fixed Debt	$464,548.67	Tax Title Loans	$87,548.67
		Municipal Relief Loans	2,000.00
		Fire and Police Station Loans	24,000.00
		Sewer Loans	351,000.00
	$464,548.67		$464,548.67

Trust Account

Trust Funds—Cash and Securities	$164,678.54	George M. Wilson Library Fund	$ 2,100.00
		Benjamin N. Johnson Library Fund	5,125.00
		Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	132,041.19
		Post-War Rehabilitation Fund	25,412.35
	$164,678.54		$164,678.54

Retirement Account

Retirement Funds—Cash and Securities	$103,478.40	Annuity Savings Fund	$43,432.05
		Annuity Reserve Fund	2,909.14
		Pension Fund	54,223.93
		Special Fund—Military Service	1,968.47
		Expense Fund	944.81
	$103,478.40		$103,478.40

Report of an Audit of the Accounts of the Town of Saugus

For the Period from October 25, 1945, to September 30, 1946

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

DEPARTMENT OF CORPORATIONS AND TAXATION

DIVISION OF ACCOUNTS

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON

November 29, 1946.

To the Board of Selectmen
Mr. William S. Oliver, Chairman
Saugus, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report of an audit of the books and accounts of the Town of Saugus for the period from October 25, 1945, to September 30, 1946, made in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44, General Laws. This is in the form of a report made to me by Mr. Herman B. Dine, Assistant Director of Accounts.

Very truly yours,

FRANCIS X. LANG,
Director of Accounts.

Mr. Francis X. Lang
Director of Accounts
Department of Corporations and Taxation
State House, Boston

Sir:

As directed by you, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the Town of Saugus for the period from October 25, 1945, the date of the previous examination, to September 30, 1946, and submit the following report thereon:

An examination and verification was made of the recorded financial transactions of the town as shown on the books on the departments receiving or disbursing money or committing bills for collection.

The books and accounts of the town accountant were examined and checked with the treasurer's books and with the records of the several departments collecting money for the town.

The appropriations and transfers as entered in the ledger were checked with the town clerk's record of appropriations voted by the town.

The ledger was analyzed, the necessary adjusting entries were made, and a balance sheet was prepared showing the financial condition of the town on September 30, 1946.

It was again noted that payments made by the public welfare department for graves of welfare recipients included amounts for establishing perpetual care funds, although, as was pointed out in the course of

the previous audit, there is no authority under the General Laws for the use of public funds for such a purpose.

The books and accounts of the town treasurer were examined and checked in detail. The recorded receipts were analyzed and compared with the Collector's records of payments to the Treasurer, with the records in the several departments collecting money for the town, and with the other sources from which money was paid into the town treasury, while the payments were checked with the selectmen's warrants to the treasurer. The cash balance on September 30, 1946 was proved by actual count of the cash in office and by reconciliation of the bank balances with statements furnished by the banks in which town funds are deposited.

The payments on account of debt and interest were verified by comparison with the amounts falling due and with the cancelled securities and coupons on file.

The transactions of the several trust, investment, and retirement funds in the custody of the town treasurer were verified, and the securities and savings bank books representing the investment of these funds were personally examined and listed.

The deductions from employees' salaries for federal taxes were listed and reconciled with the amounts due and paid to the federal government.

The records of tax title redemptions and tax titles taken for the town, as well as of tax title foreclosures, were checked in detail and all outstanding tax titles and tax possessions on hand were listed and proved. Verification of the tax titles, as listed, was made by comparison with the records in the office of the Registry of Deeds.

It was noted that of the 850 tax titles on hand 687 were taken in the years from 1927 to 1944, inclusive, in which connection it is again recommended that proceedings be started to foreclose the rights of redemption on all tax titles held over two years, as required by law.

The books and accounts of the town collector were examined and checked. The poll, property, and motor vehicle excise taxes and special assessments, together with departmental and water accounts receivable outstanding according to the previous examination, were audited, and all subsequent commitment lists were added and reconciled with the warrants for their collection .

The collector's cash books were footed, the payments to the treasurer by the collector were checked with the treasurer's books, the abatements were compared with the assessors' records of abatements granted, and the outstanding accounts were listed and proved.

Verification notices were mailed to a number of persons whose names appeared on the books as owing money to the town, the replies received thereto indicating that the outstanding accounts, as listed, are correct.

The assessors' records of abatements granted were reconciled with the collector's and accountant's books. The assessors' warrants for commitment of taxes, assessments, and water liens added to taxes were examined and checked with the detailed lists.

The records of apportioned assessments were examined, while the apportioned assessments not due and suspended were listed and reconciled with the accountant's controlling accounts.

The records of dog, sporting, and town licenses issued by the town clerk and of miscellaneous collections from permits, etc., were examined and checked, the payments to the Division of Fisheries and Game and to the town being verified.

The surety bonds of the officials bonded for the faithful performance of their duties were examined and found to be in proper form.

The accounts of the sealer of weights and measures and plumbing inspector, of the police, health, public welfare, school, and cemetery departments, as well as of all other departments collecting money for the town or committing bills for collection, were examined and checked, and payments to the treasurer were compared with the treasurer's cash book.

It is recommended that the sealer of weights and measures, the plumbing inspector, as well as the police and health departments, pay over to the treasurer all sums collected at least once each month.

In addition to the balance sheet referred to, there are appended to this report tables showing a reconciliation of the treasurer's cash, summaries of the tax, assessment, tax title, tax possession, departmental, and water accounts as well as tables showing the condition and transactions of the trust, investment, and retirement funds.

During the progress of the audit, cooperation was received from all town officials, for which, on behalf of my assistants and for myself, I wish to express appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN B. DINE,
Assistant Director of Accounts.

Detailed tables showing the financial transactions of the several departments and balance sheet as of October 24, 1945, are on file in the office of the Town Clerk and Town Accountant, Town Hall, Saugus, Massachusetts.

Report of the Superintendent of Buildings

January 10, 1947.

Honorable Board of Selectmen
Town Hall
Saugus, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report as Superintendent of Buildings for the year ending December 31, 1946.

The following report lists the Type, Number and Value of the permits issued during the year:

Type	Number	Value
Additions and Repairs	279	$117,910.00
Dwellings	47	257,450.00
Garages	59	38,090.00
Sheds	25	5,130.00
Stores	3	2,995.00
Office Buildings	1	985.00
Fire Escapes	3	2,500.00
Green Houses	2	1,200.00
Gas Stations	2	29,000.00
Electric Sub Station	1	30,000.00
Dining Car	1	1,000.00
Restaurant	1	4,000.00
Foundations	5	3,110.00
Chimneys	5	800.00
Insulations	6	2,484.00
Honor Roll	1	9,000.00
Signs	17	650.00
Demolish	30	.....
Move Buildings	5	.....
	493	$506,304.00

I have turned over to the Town Treasurer the total sum of $1,025.00 received for permits issued during the year.

In conclusion I wish to thank all town departments for their co-operation, especially the Board of Assessors.

Respectfully submitted,

MELBOURNE MacLEOD,
Superintendent of Buildings.

Town of Saugus

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

School Committee

and

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

of the

Town of Saugus, Massachusetts

FOR THE YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER 31, 1946

IN MEMORIAM

HARRY L. POTTS

TEACHER OF SCIENCE

HIGH SCHOOL

Appointed 1931

Died 1946

A CONSCIENTIOUS TEACHER AND FRIEND

TO ALL

VETERAN OF WORLD WAR I

SCHOOL COMMITTEE
- GEORGE A. MCCARRIER, *Chairman*
- WILLIAM S. BRAID
- DR. JOHN L. SILVER
- JAMES W. CURRIER

IN MEMORIAM

BERTHA F. MORRISON

TEACHER OF COMMERCIAL SUBJECTS

HIGH SCHOOL

Appointed 1930

Died 1946

SIXTEEN YEARS OF CONSCIENTIOUS SERVICE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE
- GEORGE A. MCCARRIER, *Chairman*
- WILLIAM S. BRAID
- DR. JOHN L. SILVER
- JAMES W. CURRIER

IN MEMORIAM

MARIA E. SMITH

TEACHER . . . PRINCIPAL . . . SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEMBER

Teacher and Principal . . . 1892 to 1932
School Committee . . . . 1933 to 1939
Died . . . 1946

FORTY YEARS TEACHING SERVICE IN SAUGUS

SIX YEARS A MEMBER OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE
- GEORGE A. MCCARRIER, *Chairman*
- WILLIAM S. BRAID
- DR. JOHN L. SILVER
- JAMES W. CURRIER

IN MEMORIAM

ALBERT deSTEUBEN

JUNIOR BUILDING CUSTODIAN

NORTH SAUGUS SCHOOL

Appointed . . . . . May 1946

Died . . . . . November 1946

SERVICE TO SCHOOL BRIEF BUT EXCELLENT

COMMANDER SAUGUS POST 210,
AMERICAN LEGION

VETERAN . . . WORLD WAR I

SCHOOL COMMITTEE
- GEORGE A. MCCARRIER, *Chairman*
- WILLIAM S. BRAID
- DR. JOHN L. SILVER
- JAMES W. CURRIER

IN MEMORIAM

JOHN ELMER BERRETT

CARETAKER STACKPOLE'S FIELD

STADIUM

Appointed . . . . . May 1944

Died . . . . . November 1946

A FAITHFUL AND CONSCIENTIOUS

CARETAKER

SCHOOL COMMITTEE
- GEORGE A. MCCARRIER, *Chairman*
- WILLIAM S. BRAID
- DR. JOHN L. SILVER
- JAMES W. CURRIER

IN MEMORIAM

RALPH QUIRK

TOWN ACCOUNTANT

The year 1946 witnessed the passing of one of the most beloved of our town officials. Ralph Quirk, a truly efficient Town Accountant, is with us no more. I can testify to his efficiency, his honesty, and his character. He was much more than a Town Accountant. He was a friend to each who sought his advice and counsel. He could do more work with less friction than any man I ever knew.

The Town has lost the services of one of its best town officials. The other side of the thin veil which separates us will be enriched by his coming. We, who survive him, sorely suffer by his passing.

VERNON W. EVANS,
Superintendent of Schools.

RETIRED AFTER LONG SERVICE

ANDREW C. LYNN

JUNIOR BUILDING CUSTODIAN

Appointed . . . . . February 1917

Retired . . . . . June 1946

COMPLETED 29 YEARS OF CONTINUOUS SERVICE

FAITHFUL IN SERVICE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE
- GEORGE A. MCCARRIER, *Chairman*
- WILLIAM S. BRAID
- DR. JOHN L. SILVER
- JAMES W. CURRIER

RETIRED AFTER LONG SERVICE

MAURICE F. O'NEIL

JUNIOR BUILDING CUSTODIAN

Appointed . . . . . November 1926

Retired . . . . . February 1945

NEARLY 20 YEARS OF CONTINUOUS SERVICE

ALWAYS CONSCIENTIOUS AND FAITHFUL

SCHOOL COMMITTEE
- GEORGE A. MCCARRIER, *Chairman*
- WILLIAM S. BRAID
- DR. JOHN L. SILVER
- JAMES W. CURRIER

Retired After Faithful Service

FRANK H. COLLINS

JUNIOR BUILDING CUSTODIAN

Appointed . . . . . November 1939

Retired . . . . . June 1946

SERVICE HONEST, EFFICIENT AND FAITHFUL

ENTIRE SERVICE AT NORTH SAUGUS SCHOOL

SCHOOL COMMITTEE
- GEORGE A. MCCARRIER, *Chairman*
- WILLIAM S. BRAID
- DR. JOHN L. SILVER
- JAMES W. CURRIER

Report of the School Committee

School Committee

GEORGE A. McCARRIER, Chairman
31 Prospect Street
Term expires—1947

WILLIAM S. BRAID
6 Allison Road
Term expires—1948

DAVID J. LUCEY
8 Intervale Avenue
(resigned January 1947)

DR. JOHN L. SILVER
35 Main Street
Term Expires—1948

JAMES W. CURRIER
36 Stone Street
Term expires—1949

Superintendent of Schools

VERNON W. EVANS
94 Chestnut Street
Office—High School Building
Office Hours—3 to 4 P.M.
(every school day)

Secretary to the Superintendent

ANNA V. JACOBS
20 Felton Street

In Charge of Attendance

ANNE C. HUNTLEY
435 Walnut Street

HAROLD E. HALEY
72 Jasper Street

School Physicians

DR. LEROY C. FURBUSH
420 Lincoln Avenue

DR. JAMES A. CLARK
545 Lincoln Avenue

DR. JOSEPH O. WARD
40 Main Street

DR. PRISCILLA FLOCKTON
311 Central Street

School Nurse

ANNE C. HUNTLEY, R.N.
435 Walnut Street

High School Principal

JOHN A. W. PEARCE
5 Myrtle Street

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Fall term, 1946: Opened, September 4, 1946. Closed, December 20, 1946.
Winter term (first half): Opened, January 2, 1947. Closes, February 21, 1947.
Winter term (second half): Opens, March 3, 1947. Closes, April 18 ,1947
Spring term, 1947: Opens, April 28, 1947. Closes, June 20, 1947 (or later if necessary to maintain 180 days required by law).

NO SCHOOL SIGNALS

Elementary Grades

8 A.M. 2-2 (2 rounds sounded) on fire alarm signal—means no morning session for the elementary grades and the opportunity class.
Between 7 A.M. and 8 A.M. no school notices will be given over radio stations WNAC, WBZ, WCOP, and WESX.
12:45 P.M. 2-2 (2 rounds sounded) on fire alarm signal—means no afternoon session for the elementary grades.
Between 12 noon and 1 P.M. no school notices will be given over radio stations WNAC, WBZ, WCOP, and WESX.

High and Junior High

7 A.M. 2-2 (2 rounds sounded) on fire alarm signal—means no session for high and junior high schools.
Between 7 A.M. and 8 A.M. no school notices will be given over radio stations WNAC, WBZ, WCOP, and WESX.

SCHOOL TELEPHONES

Armitage School	1090	Roby School	1099
Ballard School	1091	Oaklandvale School	0731
Cliftondale School	1092	Centre School	1388
Emerson School	1093	High School	0260
Felton School	1094	Superintendent's Office	0775
Lynnhurst School	1095	Business Office	1420
Sweetser School	1097	Guidance Office	1699
North Saugus School	1098		

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

To the Citizens of Saugus:

At a meeting of the School Committee, which took place on January 20, 1947, it was unanimously voted to accept the annual report of the Superintendent of Schools as the report of the School Committee required by the statutes.

GEORGE A. McCARRIER,
Chairman—School Committee.

ENROLMENT—DECEMBER 1946

SCHOOLS	GRADES														
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	P.G.	Spec.	Total
Armitage	31	33	37	18	20	14	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	153
Ballard	33	24	35	35	35	33	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....
	10	23	12	....	18	12	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	270
Centre	31	23	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	13	67
Cliftondale	37	40	36	30	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	143
Emerson	25	21	27	22	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	95
Felton	33	37	23	34	36	37	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	200
Lynnhurst	7	10	18	11	10	13	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	69
No. Saugus	15	19	17	13	20	17	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	101
Oaklandvale	17	14	11	11	8	24	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	85
Roby	37	31	36	34	42	41	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....
	....	....	33	....	19	17	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	299
Sweetser	....	....	....	....	36	42	98	92	....	....	....	....	....	....	268
Central Junior High	....	....	....	....	....	....	149	125	....	....	....	....	....	....	274
High	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	279	198	188	144	1	....	810
	276	275	298	208	244	250	247	217	279	198	188	144	1	13	2825

Report of the Superintendent of Schools

To the Honorable School Committee and Citizens of Saugus:

It is both the duty and the privilege of the Superintendent of Schools to submit his fourteenth annual report for the School Department, the same being the fifty-fourth annual report.

The 1946 Budget

At the annual March Town Meeting of 1946 the School Department was voted a General Budget of $300,000.00 and a Repair Budget of $10,000.00.

In addition to the above the sum of $2,500.00 was voted for the maintenance of the Stadium and, under a special article, the sum of $7,500.00 for the installation of a new boiler and oil burner at the Roby School.

At a subsequent special town meeting the sum of $1,000.00 was voted added to the Repair Budget for damage to the Armitage School caused by the storm of June 8, 1946 and the sum of $1,577.00 to complete the cost of installing the new boiler and oil burner at the Roby School.

Net 1946 Education Cost

Although the sum of $300,000.00 (General Budget) and $11,000.00 (Repair Budget), or a total of $311,000.00, was appropriated in 1946 for the ordinary expenses of education, this sum does not represent the actual amount of money expended by the taxpayers of Saugus for education (ordinary School Department expenditures).

The following refunds, as far as can be ascertained at the writing of this report, have been returned to the town treasury during the year 1946:

State reimbursement (or State Aid—Education)	$24,977.50
Tuition from City of Boston (Boston Wards)	153.64
Tuition from Commonwealth (State Wards)	828.20
Miscellaneous Income	88.34
Out of Town Tuition	284.84
Insurance (Armitage School—storm damage)	3,392.43
Unexpended Balance—General Budget	28.40
Unexpended Balance—Repair Budget	3.70
	$29,757.05

This total sum of $29,757.05 in various forms of refunds lessens the cost of education to the taxpayers of Saugus by that amount. To find the net cost we subtract this sum of $29,757.05 from the total amount appropriated ($311,000.00). The difference, or $281,242.95, represents the net cost for the year 1946.

Stadium Budet

As stated above the March 1946 Annual Town Meeting voted the sum of $2,500.00 to the School Department for the maintenance of the Stadium.

A new football gridiron has been constructed at a cost of $1,840.00, of this amount the sum of $1,400.00 was paid out of athletic finances and

the sum of $440.00 out of the $2,500.00 Stadium appropriation. If the new gridiron is properly maintained and used for games only it will last for many years. If it is used for practice sessions the money will have been wasted.

The new football gridiron will be one of the best hereabouts and will be a credit to the Town of Saugus. Not many schools would willingly pay out of athletic finances over two-thirds of the total cost of building a football gridiron for its high school youth.

Through the alertness of Chairman George A. McCarrier of the School Committee the old bleachers were sold for the sum of $500.00. These old wooden bleachers were no longer safe for use. The continued use of them would have been criminal and would have resulted in certain injury to persons and law-suits against the town. This $500.00 was turned in to the treasurer of the town.

The School Committee also returned to the town treasury the sum of $506.70 unexpended from the appropriation of $2,500.00.

In other words the net cost of the operation of the Stadium to the taxpayers in 1946 was $1,493.30. In addition the town now has a first class football gridiron.

As far as the Stadium is concerned there is one definite need in 1947. New bleachers must be purchased or visiting football fans will have no place to sit. The School Committee feels that the sum of $500.00 (realized from the sale of the old bleachers) plus the sum of $506.70 (returned unexpended from the $2,500.00 appropriation) should be reappropriated for the purchase of new bleachers. This amount would be insufficient but could be added to a larger appropriation.

The School Committee is of the opinion that no citizen of Saugus desires visiting football fans to stand or sit on the grass when Saugus High School plays host to a visiting football rival.

Death, during 1946, claimed Mr. John E. Berrett, the conscientious caretaker of the Stadium. His place will not be easy to fill and he will be missed by officials, coaches, players, and fans.

The 1947 Budget

The School Committee has requested a General Budget of $357,384.38 for the year 1947. This represents an increase of $57,384.38 over the General Budget of 1946. Of this increase approximately $50,000.00 is for increased salaries for teachers and other school personnel. The remaining, approximately $7,384.38, is to cover greatly increased cost of school textbooks, supplies, equipment, and fuel.

For the two above reasons general budgets of School Departments have substantially increased in every city and town in the Commonwealth. There is no alternative if public school systems are to function efficiently. It is probable that these increased costs will eventually be more than absorbed by a program of vastly increased State Aid for local education now about to be discussed by the 1947 Legislature.

New Salary Schedule

For many years school teachers have been the poorest paid of any group of professional workers. Teachers in Saugus have also been paid less than teachers in most communities of comparable size. The result has been that, over a period of years, Saugus has lost many excellent teachers. It became apparent during the past year that substantial

salary increases must be given to school personnel if our town was to even reasonably compete with other communities. The staggering increase in the cost of living made the solution of this problem all the more urgent.

I have talked with Saugus citizens in all walks of life and I have not found one who would not frankly admit that employees of the School Department, considering time and money spent for professional qualifications, were by far the poorest paid of all of our town employees.

Under Massachusetts law the School Committee, and the School Committee alone, has the responsibility of establishing the salaries of the teachers under its jurisdiction. It was, therefore, clear that the School Committee must establish new maximum salaries and new minimum salaries wherever possible. This the School Committee has done by unanimous vote, setting January 1, 1947 as the date when all new salaries are to be effective. The actual paying of the new salaries was suspended pending the annual town meeting of March 1947. As a part of the vote of the School Committee all temporary "cost of living increases" were abolished as of January 1, 1947.

The four largest groups of school department employees are as follows:

(a) High School teachers.
(b) Junior High School teachers.
(c) Elementary School teachers.
(d) Building Custodians or Janitors .

I list below the new salary schedules for the above voted by the School Committee and effective January 1, 1947.

	Minimum	Maximum
High School Teachers	$2,100.00	$2,900.00
Junior High School Teachers	1,900.00	2,700.00
Elementary School Teachers	1,700.00	2,400.00

From the above it can be readily seen that a teacher with no previous teaching experience (a High School teacher) would be started at a salary of $2,100.00. Such a teacher would then be increased by $100.00 each year until he reached the maximum salary of $2,900.00. This teacher would have to remain in Saugus eight full years before attaining the maximum salary. Such a schedule provides a teacher with an incentive to remain since he can see a chance for financial advancement.

In the case of the building custodians no minimum salaries were set. It was obvious that no custodians could be hired at the minimum salary which could be established. Accordingly only new maximum salaries were established. Depending on the size of the building these new salaries range from $2,000.00 to $2,250.00. The only exception was the position of Senior Building Custodian of the Central Senior and Junior High School. For this position the School Committee set a salary of $2,500.00.

The approximate total cost in the 1947 General Budget, for all salary raises, is $50,000.00 over that of the year 1946.

This figure should alarm no one, however, since it is a foregone conclusion that the Commonwealth of Massachusetts is already virtually committed to provide vastly increased sums to towns and cities for the support of local education. Bills have already been filed with the 1947 General Court seeking State-Aid for local education on a much greater basis than ever before.

One of the best is a bill filed by the Massachusetts Teachers Federation. This measure seeks to equalize State-Aid by providing more liberal

reimbursements to the towns and cities less able to finance school costs out of local taxation. Should this bill be passed by the Legislature, in its present form, Saugus would receive State-Aid in 1947 to the amount of $102,000.00 and in 1948 to the amount of $204,000.00. Since the amount received in 1945 and 1946 was approximately $24,000.00 each year the difference is readily apparent.

Some such bill must be passed by the 1947 Legislature or the burden of taxation upon the home owner in most communities will become unduly oppressive.

Incidentally Massachusetts, in comparison to other states in the union, has been very lax in sharing in local costs of education. The costs of education should be a definite concern of the state since an educated citizenship is just as much a concern of the state as it is of the local community.

As I stated in my 1946 report and I quote:—"Neither the state nor the nation can afford to allow millions of its children to suffer disadvantages in educational opportunities."

It should be significant to Americans that Russia is expending 46% of its total expenditures for education.

Visual Education

By unanimous vote of the School Committee a Department of Visual Education has been established within the School Department effective January 1, 1947.

The School Committee has appointed Mr. Philip Bradbury, teacher of Science in the Senior High School, as Director of Visual Education. Mr. Bradbury is exceptionally well qualified to direct this specific type of modern education and his appointment by the School Committee was indeed a wise choice.

This new program of visual education will encompass every school and grade within the school system and will be correlated with the school curriculum. Like the installation of the Rinehart Writing System in 1946 it marks the establishment of another improvement in our school system.

The School Department owns much excellent visual aid equipment. The Essex County Health Association has recently presented to the School Department two modern portable 16 mm sound motion picture projectors complete with all accessory equipment. The same association has given our schools three paid-up $100.00 subscriptions for film purchase or rental. In addition the Central Senior and Junior High School is equipped with a modern 16 mm sound motion picture projector. This equipment was presented to our school system by one of the recent graduating classes. Supplementing the above equipment is a 16 mm motion picture camera, several 16 mm silent projectors, visual aid slide equipment, etc. Some of the above were gifts of Parent-Teacher Associations. In short the school system is far better equipped with visual aid equipment than the average school system.

All of this equipment will be at the disposal of the Director of Visual Education and the program will be solely his responsibility under the direction of the Superintendent of Schools .

The establishment of this Department of Visual Education will prove an invaluable aid to further the education of the boys and girls of Saugus. The value of visual education in any school program is recognized by leading educators throughout the nation.

Recommendations

An important duty of the Superintendent of Schools is to recommend to the School Committee and to the citizens of the town such projects as will improve our school system.

I recommend many of these in my report of last year.

(1) That a modern gymnasium be constructed so as to make possible an effective physical education program for all pupils in the junior and senior high school.

(2) That aprogram for improving the play areas in all school yards be initiated so that all school play areas are ultimately resurfaced with modern asphaltic or cork treatment.

(3) The installation of new lighting equipment in all of our school buildings, especially in the classrooms of the same.

(4) The construction of a new modern six-room elementary schoolhouse in the Oaklandvale section of the town.

(5) That detailed blueprints and plans of all school buildings be authorized so that such will be available to the School Department.

(6) The introduction of a course in domestic science for girls in the Senior High School.

(7) That the Mansfield School in East Saugus be completely repaired, renovated and re-equipped for active use. The re-opening of this school appears to be a necessity in the not too distant future.

(8) The removal of the present costly heating system in the Ballard School and its replacement by a central heating plant with oil burning apparatus.

(9) The continuation of the policy, instituted the past year, of rotating elementary school teachers from building to building after a maximum of five years teaching service in one particular building.

(10) The establishment of a super-maximum salary in high, junior high and elementary schools to be given only to those teachers who, in the opinion of the Superintendent of Schools, have demonstrated extraordinary teaching skills and exceptional value to the school system.

Of the above recommendations a definite start has been made during the past year in item No. 5. Students in the Mechanical Drawing classes of the Senior High School are engaged in the making of detailed blueprints of the Central Senior and Junior High School building. When completed they will be turned over to the School Department.

Scholastic Standing

Scholastically our schools remain at a high standard.

Our High School is rated a Class A High School by the State Department of Education.

The New England College Entrance Certificate Board has gone out of existence. In the future, colleges will accept graduates from high schools largely on the following basis.

(a) High School grades of the student.

(b) Principal's recommendation of student.

(c) Results of aptitude tests given student by the college.

The trend, in short, is away from written entrance examinations and towards a total evaluation of the student's ability and personality as determined by the above criteria.

From time to time I hear the uninformed spread the story that graduates of Saugus High School cannot enter college and do successful college work. I do not know for what purpose this story is told but I do know that it is vicious and absolutely untrue.

At the present time we have graduates of Saugus High School doing successful college work in the following colleges and universities. This is only a partial list but it should convince even those who maliciously spread untruths.

Boston University
Harvard University
Tufts College
Boston College
Connecticut College for Women
University of Notre Dame
Middlebury College
Stetson University
Simmons College
University of Michigan
Ohio Wesleyan University
University of New Hampshire
Northeastern University
University of Southern California
Jackson College
Dartmouth College
Colby College
Rollins College
Brown University

It is also interesting to note that Robert Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis M .Hill, a graduate of Saugus High School and Bowdoin College, last year passed the examination for the United States Consular Service. This examination is incidentally one of the toughest in the country. He received the appointment and is now attached to the United States Consular Office in Belgium.

May I be pardoned if I also mention with pride that another graduate of Saugus High School, the Hon. Frederick B. Willis, has just been chosen as Speaker of the Massachusetts House of Representatives for the second consecutive year.

School Building Program

A town may postpone the inevitable but it cannot postpone it forever. Building programs are not solved by hiding one's head in the sand like an ostrich.

Saugus has not erected a new school house since 1933 when the present Central Junior High School was constructed. For fourteen years we have remained dormant as far as new school buildings are concerned. This, in spite of the fact, that Saugus is one of the few municipalities that does not owe one cent on schoolhouses.

There are two definite and pressing needs for new schoolhouse construction.

(1) A new and modern Senior High School.

(2) A new elementary school in the Oaklandvale section of the town.

May I discuss each under separate captions.

Senior High School

Twice within the last fifteen years your School Committee has urged upon the citizens the necessity of a new modern Senior High School building. Twice the voters have turned it down. The first time it died when everybody wrangled about the site. The second time it was killed by misrepresentation. The second assassination was, in my opinion, the

greatest mistake our town has made in a lifetime. At that time the building, completely equipped, could have been constructed for about $500,000.00. Of this amount the United States Government stood ready and willing to pay a cash grant of $250,000.00—exactly one-half of the total cost. At that time school building costs were approximately 35 cents per cubic foot. Now they are about 80 cents per cubic foot. It will always view the rejection of this particular project as one of the greatest sins ever committed against the youth of Saugus. I can forgive those who administered its death potion but I can never believe it was anything but a colossal blunder.

Why do we need a new Senior High School? Here are the reasons and any citizen can check the present building for himself and verify the facts.

(1) No gymnasium and as a result no program of physical education possible.

(2) Totally inadequate and antiquated science laboratories .

(3) Inadequate assembly hall so important in the development of morale and school spirit.

(4) No suitable washroom facilities and outmoded and ancient toilet facilities.

(5) No suitable place for the teaching of Domestic Science for girls.

(6) Inadequate cafeteria facilities.

(7) Improper space for development of Woodworking and Metal Shops.

(8) Aged and ineffective classroom lighting equipment.

(9) Poor school library facilities for a school of our size.

(10) Virtually no place for students to hang their clothes under protection.

All of these shortcomings were told to the citizens at the time the new school was rejected. The blood is not, therefore, on the hands of anyone connected with the School Department.

Now the problem is fast getting to the acute stage. Now building costs are at their peak.

The solution is not in adding wings to the present building. To attempt it would prove very costly. The result would be a sprawling octopus of a building difficult of operation and administration. The only real solution is a new building.

If something isn't done our Class A High School rating will eventually be affected. If this happens, again, the blood will not be on the hands of anyone connected with the School Department.

Oaklandvale School

The Oaklandvale section of the town is productive of one of our best home building developments. In the opinion of our school authorities this section of the town will outstrip all others in new home construction during the next decade.

Serving this area is a school building approximately 100 years old, insofar as I am able to ascertain. It is built upon a ledge on about as poor a piece of land as exists in the entire community. This building will be

totally inadequate to serve the elementary children of this section with any appreciable growth in home building.

Any attempt to enlarge or renovate the present Oaklandvale School would be little short of criminal asininity. The cost would be tremendous and the result a monstrosity.

This is a problem that cannot be long postponed from all present indications.

It is your problem and you are the only ones who can provide the funds to solve it.

A Supporting Opinion

I submit an unsolicited letter from Mr. A. Russell Mack, Supervisor of Secondary Education, in the State Department of Education. I offer it as a supporting opinion to opinions expressed by me in this report.

The letter follows:

February 21, 1943

Mr. Vernon W. Evans
Superintendent of Schools
Saugus, Massachusetts

My dear Mr. Evans:

My recent visit prompts me to write very favorably concerning the administration at Saugus High School, and the academic and commercial work. There is every reason also to be proud of the new guidance program, and the newly organized industrial arts, both manual training and mechanical drawing.

Personally I was gratified to realize that there is such a goodly ratio of men teachers, 18 of the 30 teachers being men. There has never been a reason other than economic for other than a 50-50 ratio in the secondary school years, but the ratio is more usually many more lady teachers than men teachers.

The building is an old one, but the chief lacks are a strong physical education program ,and household arts. There is no gymnasium, which is an essential with the emphasis upon health and physical education made before the war and also resulting from the war, selective draft showing, etc.

I hope that in the post war period, it will be possible for Saugus to have a new gymnasium, and household arts rooms, as well as extensive renovations to the present plant. Perhaps an even better suggestion would be for a modern educational structure on an adequate site which most educators now estimate should be at least ten acres.

Sincerely yours,

A. RUSSELL MACK,
Supervisor of Secondary Education

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School Milk Program

A new school milk program is now in operation in all of the schools in the town. This new program is under the joint sponsorship of the Department of Education and the Department of Public Welfare of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

All of our school children are now able to buy milk at four cents per bottle. Previously it was necessary to charge six cents per bottle in some schools and seven cents per bottle in others.

The new program has already justified its introduction in our school system. It started on January 8, 1947 with a daily consumption of 820 bottles of milk. A few weeks thereafter this total of 820 bottles had risen to a total of nearly 1000 bottles per day. In other words the reduced price of the milk, per bottle, has resulted in an increased conusmpttion of milk by the school children of our town. The program involves no expense, whatsoever, to the taxpayers of the town as far as its operation is concerned.

It is the hope of the School Committee and the Superintendent of Schools that the present consumption may ultimately be raised to approximately 1400 bottles per day. If this figure is attained it would mean that practically one half of the entire pupil enrolment of the school system would be drinking milk each day. It is generally agreed that milk is one of the most substantial of foods and that it plays a very important factor in the conservation of health.

The school officials urge all parents to impress upon their children the importance of participating in this milk program.

Athletic and Cafeteria Accounts

A summary of the financial condition of the athletic and cafeteria accounts of Saugus High School are included a few pages hence. Both accounts are outlined in some detail. Both accounts are under the jurisdiction of the School Committee and under the immediate supervision of Principal John A. W. Pearce. The accounts are audited every so often and are efficiently kept by Miss Mabel Willey, treasurer of both accounts.

In Conclusion

In conclusion may I thank each member of the School Committee for the splendid cooperation given me during the year 1946. May I also thank the teachers, all other school employees, and the pupils for their cooperation and loyalty.

Respectfully submitted,

VERNON W. EVANS,
Superintendent of Schools.

SAUGUS HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

Analysis of Cash Receipts and Expenditures
January 1, 1946 to December 31, 1946

Cash Balance, January 1, 1946			$ 5,343.50
Receipts: Football			
Gate Receipts		$7,019.11	
Guarantees:			
Malden	$1,337.39		
Chelsea	452.92		
Amesbury	751.58		
Revere	1,442.72		
Lynn English	1,578.78		
Lynn Classical	2,158.44		
Peabody	504.32		
		8,226.15	
Basketball		205.55	
			15,450.81
Total Receipts Including Balance			$20,794.31
Expenses:			
Guarantees:			
Beverly		$1,531.43	
Swampscott		44.70	
Equipment		510.81	
Supplies (Schedule I)		3,761.27	
Postage		84.57	
Insurance and Bond		200.00	
Printing and Tickets		293.58	
Officials		127.00	
Police		82.75	
Registration and Dues		15.75	
Federal Tax (Tickets)		1,310.04	
Transportation		856.48	
Miscellaneous Expense (Schedule II)		194.23	
Salary Expense		2,572.20	
Medical and Drugs		1,035.02	
Stadium		1,464.10	
Reconditioning and Laundry		1,845.94	
Telephone		74.78	
Awards and Letters		129.00	
Basketball		497.25	
Baseball		296.00	
Educational		1,477.43	
Total Expenses			18,404.33
Net Income			$2,389.98
Paid: January 6 Dr. Carter		$796.00	
Received January 6 Guarantee—Marblehead		227.12	
		$568.88	
Corrected Balance			$1,821.10

No Accounts Payable

SAUGUS HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

Schedule Number I

Analysis of Supplies, January 1 to December 31, 1946

Footballs	$275.48	
Pads (Hip, Shoulder, Injury)	825.37	
Caps	33.47	
Pants and Shirts	238.06	
Socks and Hose	402.20	
Guides and Record Books	3.79	
Felt	1.24	
Sponge Rubber	3.15	
Mask	3.36	
Supporters	109.90	
Belts	51.00	
Helmets	290.00	
Megaphones	15.00	
Cleats	80.77	
Do-nuts	1.70	
Firm Grip, Cleaner, Resin	4.38	
Baseballs, Basketballs	148.66	
Bats	33.25	
Arches	8.50	
Hockey Supplies	23.50	
Shoes	404.69	
Jerseys and Shirts	803.80	
Total Supplies		$3,761.27

SAUGUS HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

Schedule Number II

Analysis of Miscellaneous Expense, January 1 to December 31, 1946

Film	$54.00	
Line	.95	
Pail, Paint, Brushes	5.30	
Towels	17.28	
Dinner for Team—Raymonds	56.55	
Tomahawks—Padlock	7.25	
Checkbook	2.50	
Pen Quill Set	6.72	
Show Cards	4.50	
Advertising	10.00	
Paint, Shellac	16.40	
Oranges	1.38	
Painting Goal Posts	6.00	
Cardboard	.60	
Carfares, Express	4.80	
Total Miscellaneous Expense		$194.23

SAUGUS HIGH SCHOOL LUNCH

Analysis of Cash Receipts and Expenditures

January 1, 1946 to December 31, 1946

Cash Balance, January 1, 1946 ($1,090.23 plus $700)		$1,790.23
Receipts and Income:		
Cash Sales	$13,095.14	
Discount on Purchases	231.61	
		13,326.75
Total Receipts Including Balance on January 1, 1946		$15,116.98
Expenditures:		
Food	$5,501.49	
Candy	167.05	
Ice Cream	3,401.04	
Tonic	1,427.89	
Wages	1,784.20	
Laundry	139.88	
Supplies	273.55	
Equipment	17.51	
Miscellaneous Expense	32.38	
Insurance and Bond	12.50	
Donation to Band	296.94	
		13,054.43
Balance, December 31, 1946		$2,062.55

Accounts Payable $693.92.

Report of the Principal of the Saugus High School

January 21, 1947.

Mr. Vernon W. Evans
Superintendent of Schools
Saugus, Mass.

My dear Mr. Evans:

I herewith submit my twelfth annual report as Principal of the Saugus High School.

The Opening of School and New Teachers

School opened in September with the following enrollment:

Grade	12 — 147	
	11 — 190	
	10 — 200	
	9 — 282	
	8 — 127	
	7 — 150	Total 1096

In the Senior High School we welcomed the following new teachers:

Mr. John Janusas—Social Studies and Assistant Football Coach
Miss Frances McFarlane—English and French
Mr. Ralph Earle—Wood Shop (Feb. 1st)

We welcomed the following teachers back from service:

Mr. Edward Gibbs, 3rd—Guidance Director
Mr. John Burns—English
Mr. Tauno Tamminen—Metal Shop

In the Central Junior High School we welcomed the following teachers:

Mrs. Janet Sanborn—Literature
Mrs. Virginia Earle—History

We also welcomed the following new supervisors:

Miss Audrey Thomas—Music
Mr. Walter Germaine—Band

Two of our Senior High School teachers were taken by death during the year 1946:

Mr. Harry Potts—Biology, early in March
Miss Bertha Morrison—Commercial, shortly after school opened in September

These people had been teachers in Saugus High School for a good many years.

Trends in College Entrance

Today colleges report that they are not so much concerned with subjects as with evidence of scholastic ability and there is a trend away from rigid requirements toward a flexible program. However, the fact remains that most colleges still require the fifteen Carnegie units of high school work and these units are expected to cover certain definite areas.

It is now true that most colleges do not stipulate individual subjects but they do specify certain fields in which work must have been done.

Most colleges now require work in the following five areas: social science ,natural science, foreign language, English, and Mathematics. Beyond these, many institutions required specific subjects as: four years of English, one year of Algebra, one year of Plane Geometry, two years of foreign language, one year of science, and one year in the field of social studies. The other units must come from the above broad fields, although a few places now permit substitution of one or two non-academic courses for college preparatory subjects.

A promising trend despite the rather rigid pattern that is still with us, is the statement on the part of the colleges that they are more interested in the "whole boy or girl" than in his grade in some particular subject. College Board examinations at present have the following two aims: to predict college success, and to provide a fair basis to judge students from all parts of the country and from different kinds of schools, public and independent.

Community School Lunch Program

The National School Lunch Act approved June 1946 provides permanent assistance to states in the establishment and operation of the school lunch program for children attending non-profit public and private schools, of high school grade and under .Its purpose is to safeguard the health and well being of the nation's children and encourage the consumption of nutritious agricultural commodities and other foods. This program is State administered entirely. All Federal funds are paid to the State and apportioned to Schools by the Office of Community School Lunch Programs. This office is controlled jointly by the Massachusetts Department of Education and the Department of Public Welfare. State funds pay for administration of the program. By 1948 the control of the School Lunch Program will be entirely in the hands of the Department of Education.

The first aim of the School Lunch Program is to provide improved nutrition for children, and the second is a long time aim of helping the American farmer dispose of his crops. It is not a welfare program, but a nutritional program which was started at the request of the Surgeon General's Office when the appalling lack of balanced eating became evident in the examination of young people in recent years. Of the 365 communities in Massachusetts, 227 (with 1394 schools) are now participating in this lunch program.

Proposed Regulations for Approval of Massachusetts High Schools

High Schools in Massachusetts have for years been classified as A or B Schools. It is clearly recognized that this classification is a matter of prestige only. However, it does give the opportunity to effect improvements. The following present conditions necessary for a High School to classify as a Class A School:

1. **Personnel**

If there has been a 50 percent or greater turnover of teachers, the high school may be placed in Class B for the following year. The program of teachers with more than five classes a day or more than 125 pupils per day will be carefully scrutinized. Teaching by the Principal in a school the size of Saugus High School will be subject to question.

A. Qualification of teachers, i. e., newly employed.

All teachers and principals shall have a bachelor's degree, and a minimum of 16 semester hours in Education, plus one year's experience, to qualify for a position in a high school the size of ours.

B. Qualifications of Principals, newly employed—same as teachers, plus Master's degree and three years' teacher experience.

2. **Program**

It is recognized that high schools must train for entrance to higher institutions of learning as well as for life. Therefore, there shall be at least three curriculums,—College Preparatory, Commercial, and General, or what corresponds to these curriculums if there is a program of required and elective subjects under guidance. Exceptions may be made for other than comprehensive high schools. If no Vocational work is offered, definite plans for attendance at the nearest Vocational school shall be made. There shall be a program for **health** and **physical education, for** music and art, as well as definite inclusion of recent developments in Guidance, Aviation, **Driver Education, and Consumer Education.** There shall be a testing program, including the use of standardized tests with the results available to the State Department of Education.

A. Pupil-teacher load—obtained by dividing the number of pupils by the number of teachers (including part-time pro-rated), exclusive of the Principal. In a school the size of ours—not over 25-1.

B. Schedule—The length of the school day shall not be less than five hours net. The periods shall be at least 40 minutes net length.

The requirements for graduation shall be at least 15 units (16 recommended). A unit represents a year's study in any subject in a secondary school, constituting approximately one-fourth of a full year's work. Shop or laboratory periods count one-half as much as recitation periods.

3. **School Plant**

The following shows what a new building should have. Those in old buildings should recognize discrepancies which exist on account of constructionally and educationally obsolete buildings. **To the extent that these are lacking, the Class A or Class B rating will be affected.**

Site—Any new site should have at least 10 acres.

Building—Any new building should have:

- **Adequate classrooms**
- **Principal's office and fireproof vault**
- **Library—capable of seating 10% of the high school enrollment**
- **Laboratories—physics, chemistry, biology**
- **Home Economics**
- **Shop**
- **Cafeteria**
- **Student Activity Rooms—School paper, council, etc.**
- **Gymnasium**—Showers arranged for community use
- **Auditorium**—capable of seating entire student body up to 1000 pupils
- **Adequate lavatories**
- **Teachers' Rooms**

The lighting, heating, and ventilating of the rooms and the methods of cleaning shall be such as to insure conditions recognized as hygenic by modern standards. The condition of the school building and its surroundings is an important factor in the influence of the high school. Hence, the

general appearance of the school rooms, halls, buildings and yards, the care of books and supplies, and the condition of the blackboards, **must receive proper attention.**

The number and character of classrooms, recitation rooms and laboratories, and the equipment of the school, shall be such as may reasonably be expected in a Class A High School.

Lack of Home Study

No pupil can properly do all his studying in school hours. For satisfactory progress most pupils require two hours of home study daily—many longer. Time should be carefully budgeted at home to insure regular preparation. Pupils are cautioned against depending upon study periods too much, since frequently they are taken for assemblies. They should plan to use them more for review.

The above suggestions have been printed in our Handbook for several years, but unfortunately only a small percentage of Saugus High School pupils follow them. There are a great many pupils who tell their parents that they can do all of their studying in school and therefore do not have to take any books home to study. Low marks result from such practices, failures in many cases.

Regulations Concerning Attendance

1. Pupils are expected to be absent from school only in cases of emergency or with permission from the main office.

2. All work lost because of absence from school has to be made up satisfactorily before full credit will be given. Teachers have been assigned days for makeup work, at which time pupils must report.

3. Any pupil absent from school without consent of parents is required to make up ten hours of study in General Session.

4. No pupil is to attend or take part in a dance, athletic contest, or other school activity on the day he or she is absent from school, without first obtaining permission from the office.

5. Oversleeping may be a valid reason for tardiness but not for absence. A pupil who oversleeps is expected to arrive at school within a reasonable time after awakening.

6. Any pupil absent from school for three consecutive days must obtain an admit slip from the office to be readmitted to his or her Home Room.

7. All attendance slips must be signed by parent or guardian, who is also to write the excuse.

8. Dismissals by telephone request will not be granted except in cases of extreme emergency. This is necessary as a protection to pupils.

The above regulations are brought to your attention and to the attention of parents who may read this report. Too many pupils in Saugus High School have poor attendance records.

In conclusion, I wish to thank you, Mr. Evans, and the members of the School Committee for your helpful advice and encouragement.

Sincerely yours,

JOHN A. W. PEARCE,
Principal.

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